

ARCHBALD ON FIVE COUNTS IS GUILTY

ANTI-ALIEN LAWS IN LEASH

Los Angeles May Stand by North in Barring Such Legislation at Session

Shanahan and Strobridge May Clash Over Reorganization of Education Board

(Special Correspondence to THE TRIBUNE)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—The chances of anti-alien legislation being written on the 1913 statutes of the state of California are considered to be quite remote by those who have given a study to the conditions in the Assembly. There will doubtless be a number of legislators who will loudly demand that a law be made preventing Orientals and other aliens from owning lands, but when the matter comes down to a vote in the lower house it is not believed that enough votes can be mustered to carry it through.

Strange though it may seem, Los Angeles is going to save the day. The spectacle of the San Francisco and Los Angeles delegations lining up on measures that will be to the direct benefit of San Francisco and very indirectly to Los Angeles, appears as unusual a sight as hen's teeth, but just such a situation is going to exist. H. Stanley Benedict, leader of the Los Angeles delegation, and "near-speaker" of the Assembly says so and it must be.

The Angelenos have steadfastly scouted the idea that they are opposed to everything that San Francisco and the bay section is for, and on the anti-alien legislation they are going to prove how magnanimous they are. It will not be an evidence of particular friendship toward San Francisco, but, as they say, friendship for the state.

"When we see that San Francisco will get the support of the Los Angeles delegation in fighting any anti-alien legislation at this time I believe I am voicing the sentiment of the boys from the south," declared Benedict last night.

"The Los Angeles delegation is in favor of anti-alien laws but not at this time. We do not take this stand because it will benefit us in the least, but because we think it will be better for California to hold up this matter until after the San Antonio-Pacific Exposition. I do not believe anti-alien legislation would affect the San Diego exposition one way or the other, but I do believe it would have its influence upon the state as a whole because of the San Francisco exposition.

"When the anti-alien comes up in the Assembly the Los Angeles delegation will be with San Francisco to defeat it. That will be our position."

FRONT OF 28 VOTES.

What the Los Angeles delegation does, so generally follow the rest of the southern delegation. With San Francisco and Los Angeles united in the fight they can present a front of 28 votes, leaving but thirteen to get from other districts to reach a majority. With the agitation which San Francisco has started in opposition to anti-alien legislation, the bay districts doubtless will be gained. These with the southern following outside of Los Angeles will come near making up the balance of thirteen necessary to vote down any such legislation.

From present indications the most bitter fight against the alien landowners will be waged on the part of the "cow counties" delegation, representing the districts in California which are suffering through the alleged encroachments of the Asiatics, but a unanimity of feeling for immediate anti-alien legislation does not even exist in this delegation.

The Democrats at their state con-

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RATE CASE THROUSANDS ARGUED TODAY

Railroad Commission Hears Hayward Citizens Seeking Lower Fare to City

Charges That Ticket-Scalping Was Generally Practiced on Terminal Line Made

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—The San Francisco and Oakland Terminal Railway appeared as defendant this morning in three separate actions brought before the State Railroad Commission and before the forenoon session had been completed the whole gamut of railroading from ticket scalping to excessive rates discrimination and arbitrary actions and been run.

The three complainants Herman E. Walker, an attorney at law of Hayward, the Hayward Chamber of Commerce and James Matheson, a traveling salesman living at the St. Mark Hotel, Oakland, were first allowed to put in their cases, and it was well along in the afternoon before the corporation had an opportunity to make a reply.

By far the most interesting bit of evidence contributed was that of H. R. Robinson of Hayward, who stated that up to last February, commutation books on the Hayward lines were purchased in wholesale lots by merchants of Hayward and were handed out to customers who thus got ahead of the transportation company and obtained a reduced fare. This abuse of the privilege has since been done away with. The conductors of the corporation operating on the Hayward route were accorded much sympathy by the commission, and the opinion was expressed by Max Chelan, who presided that they were the most injured of all those concerned as being between two fires, the company and the patrons of the road. The connection with their charge of 15 cents between Hayward and the western line of San Leandro.

WALKER ON WITNESS STAND

Herman E. Walker, testifying in his own behalf and as complainant, first called attention to the commutation book issued prior to the first of this year and he held that the conditions were improper. He held first that the charge by the company of 15 cents when the tariff filed with the commission was but 10 cents, was illegal. The same accusation was made in connection with the prohibition of the transfer privilege wherein the company forces the purchaser to use a commutation book himself and forbids his lending it to another. The rule that unused coupons would not be redeemed also came in for condemnation and the commissioner agreed with Walker that the provision that the company could change running time and stopping places without notice, was plainly void.

Following the presentation of Walker's complaint Attorney Peter Crosby, representing the Chamber of Commerce, began his examination of witnesses and first called M. W. Baccus, who testified that sometimes he was forced to pay ten cents from Hayward to the western limit of San Leandro and sometimes fifteen. The fare asked was always 10, but sometimes Baccus had only paid 10.

Attorneys P. W. Bell and Stanley J. Smith, representing the corporation, admitted that the conductors asked the 15

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THOUSANDS ARE FLOOD VICTIMS

Homes Along Ohio Are Fast Being Deserted; Rescuers at Work

Police and Fire Departments Move Families From the Menaced Districts

CINCINNATI, Jan. 13.—The Ohio river continued to rise steadily but more slowly today the stage at 9 o'clock being 61.2 feet. The government forecaster predicted that probably a maximum stage of 53 feet would be reached.

It was estimated that 3000 persons had been driven from their homes in Cincinnati and the cities of Covington, Newport and Dayton, across the river in Kentucky. Many factories have been flooded and hundreds of persons thrown out of work.

RISE BELOW PITTSBURG.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The weather bureau's flood bulletin today says:

The Ohio river is falling at Pittsburgh, but continues to rise below. At Cincinnati this morning the stage was 61 feet, 11 feet above flood stage. Flood stage will be reached at Cairo about Wednesday.

MOVE FAMILIES.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 13.—Police and fire department employees working to move families from districts menaced by the Ohio river flood were cheered this morning by news that the rise was less rapid than registered last night. While nearly 1000 persons had been driven from their homes today and the outlook was that this number would be doubled, yet it was believed property damage would not be as heavy as in previous record floods.

RISE INCREASES.

EVANSVILLE, Ind. Jan. 13.—With the rise increasing at three-tenths of a foot an hour on the secondary swell after Friday and Saturday's heavy rains, the Ohio river here today passed 43.5 feet.

Hundreds of square miles in the bottom lands are inundated 8 to 20 feet deep and property loss will run into a high figure.

Ranch Manager and Wife Escape Unhurt

American Sugar-Maker Killed While Trying to Defend Mexican Property.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—A. H. Lawrence, manager of an American-owned hacienda near El Estero, Vera Cruz, escaped unhurt when that property was attacked by rebels, according to a report received today at the State Department from Consul Canada at Vera Cruz. Mrs. Lawrence also escaped with her husband. The identity of the American sugar-maker who was killed while attempting to defend his property was not learned.

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FUNERAL OF DEAD CLUBMAN, WM. GRIFFITH, TO BE HELD TOMORROW

ACCIDENTAL DEATH, IS VERDICT

Coroner's Jury Gives Findings Following Tragedy on the Petaluma Marshes

Pallbearers Chosen for Obsequies at the Residence of Prominent Business Man

The funeral of W. E. Griffith, prominent clubman of Oakland and San Francisco, who came to his death from a gunshot wound while hunting in a boat near Miramonte Saturday afternoon, will be held from the family residence at 49 Montecito avenue, tomorrow at 2 o'clock. Griffith, F. A. Stolp and William Borland were hunting together. Stolp heard the report of a gun and a stifled call for help, and rowing quickly from his own boat, which was near, he found Griffith with a gaping hole in his neck. Stolp called Borland and Griffith was rowed ashore, where a physician was called who pronounced the man dead.

At the inquest held in Santa Rosa before Frank L. Blackburn, several witnesses were called and the theory is that Griffith in reaching for his gun, which was pointing toward him, discharged it. The verdict was accidental death.

WAS PROMINENT LODGE MAN.

Stolp is in a state of nervous collapse as the result of the fatality. Mrs. Stolp said yesterday that her husband and the dead man had been close friends for many years.

In addition to the widow, Mrs. Katherine Harub Griffith, the dead clubman is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Griffith of 560 Twentieth street, Oakland, Mrs. Marion Oliver and two brothers, Franklin and Charles Griffith, both of Portland, Ore.

Griffith was a member of the Athenian club of Oakland and the Bohemian and Family clubs of San Francisco, and belonged to the Oakland lodge of Elks. He was a thirty-second degree Mason and was also a member of the Order of the Mystic Shrine. He was 42 years of age.

The Pacific coast offices of the American Rubber company, of which he was president and manager, are located at Park and Watt streets in Emeryville.

At one time Griffith was the secretary of the California Street Railway in San Francisco.

Griffith had a large circle of friends, among whom he was very popular, and they sent expressions of sympathy to the widow yesterday. At the factory he was known and liked personally by the men under him.

The following persons will act as pallbearers: William Dunning, Dr. H. P. Carlton, H. A. Backusick, Fred C. Stolp, Clem Perkins, Wm. Gasaway, Chas. Lovell, Rupert Whitehead, Fred Hathaway, H. C. Norton, Dr. Harry Travers and P. Lynch.

Steamer Snowden Range Picked Up

Vessel Which Caused Anxiety Is in Tow of Welshman Off the Irish Coast.

BROWHEAD, Ireland, Jan. 13.—The steamer Snowden Range, about which there has been great anxiety, passed here today in tow of the steamer Walahen, which picked her up in the Atlantic 500 miles out.

2 Killed, 40 Injured in English Train Collision

Midland Railway Train Crashes Into Accommodation at Bromford Bridge.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng. Jan. 13.—Two passengers were killed and forty injured in a collision on the Midland railway today when an express train crashed into an accommodation train at Bromford Bridge.

THE LATE W. E. GRIFFITH, WHO WAS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED SATURDAY WHILE DUCK HUNTING.



STEADY RAIN PREDICTED ALONG PACIFIC COAST

Storm Signals Displayed by United States Weather Bureau

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Storm signals were displayed by the United States weather bureau at 11 o'clock this morning and the outlook is for steady rains along the whole Pacific coast during the next 24 hours. It has been raining continually in the north and the southeast winds broken the coming of a storm which led Professor MacAdie to offer out the warning signs immediately on his arrival from the south this morning. The district forecaster has been studying frost conditions, but stated that he was not ready to make public his finds or his plans for the future.

The rain is expected to extend southward as far as San Diego and the whole state should be treated to a substantial downpour which will be much appreciated by the farmers. The temperature has been steadily rising and we are now enjoying normal winter weather.

The telephone and telegraph companies report that four feet of snow has fallen between Redding and Dunsmuir, carrying down all wires.

The weather bureau here said that the storm was one of the usual winter south-easters, moving southward.

OAKLAND RAINFALL	
(Sanborn Gauge)	
Last 48 hours	21
Season to date	6.67
Corresponding period last year	4.22

Whittier Girls Revolt and Attempt Escape; Captured

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Twenty-five girls, inmates of the State Reform School at Whittier, thirteen miles from this city, revolted today and in a body marched out the front door of the institution and escaped before the officials realized what they were doing. Once outside the school, the girls proceeded in double-quick order. Ten were recaptured before they had gone more than half a mile. The remaining 15, more fleet, eluded their pursuers until they had almost reached this city although they were foot.

Then they were surrounded by officers who hurried them back to the institution. Once outside the school, the girls proceeded in double-quick order. Ten were recaptured before they had gone more than half a mile. The remaining 15, more fleet, eluded their pursuers until they had almost reached this city although they were foot.

Gouty Inflammation of Larynx, Magnate's Ailment

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The report of Dr. C. W. Richardson, who examined William Rockefeller, the oil magnate, at Miami for the House money trust investigation committee, will not be made public until after it has been presented to the full membership of the committee. It is understood, however, that Dr. Richardson found Rockefeller suffering from the ailment described in affidavits filed with the committee by his physicians as "gouty inflammation of the larynx" which necessitated six operations.

Rises in Pew to Recite Lord's Prayer; Drops Dead

PASADENA, Cal. Jan. 13.—As he sank down at the foot of a fellow rose in his pew at the First Baptist worshipper who thought he had only church to recite the Lord's prayer faintly. But when he was carried out yesterday, Edward A. Gibbons, aged 62, it was found that he had died almost instantly.

COMMERCE JUDGE IS DROPPED

Jurist Removed From Office by Findings of Senate in Impeachment Case

Convicted on First, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Thirteenth Counts

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—"Guilty" on five of the thirteen impeachment articles against him was the verdict of the Senate today in the case of Judge Robert W. Archbald of the Commerce Court, charged with misuse of his power as a judge to his personal gain. The judge was convicted on the first, third, fourth, fifth and thirteenth charges and acquitted on the second, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh and twelfth. This removes him from office.

The vote on the first count was sixty-eight against Judge Archbald and five in his favor. The Senate then proceeded to vote on the other twelve articles of impeachment.

HOW THEY VOTED.

The vote on the first charge was as follows: For conviction—Ashurst, Bankhead, Borah, Bourne, Brandegee, Bristow, Brown, Bryan, Burton, Chamberlain, Clapp, Clark of Wyoming, Clarke of Arkansas, Crawford, Crane, Culberson, Cullum, Cummins, Curtiss, Dixon, Dupont, Fletcher, Foster, Gallinger, Gore, Gronna, Hitchcock, Johnson of Maine, Jones, Kenyon, La Follette, Lippitt, Lodge, McCumber, McLean, Martin, Martineau, Myers, Nelson, Newlands, O'Gorman, Owen, Page, Perkins, Poindexter, Pomerene, Reed, Richardson, Root, Sanders, Simmons, Shively, Smith of Georgia, Smith of Maryland, Smith of Arizona, Smoot, Stephenson, Stone, Sutherland, Swanson, Thornton, Tillman, Townsend, Warren, Wetmore, Works, Williams, Percy.

Against conviction—Burnham, Catron, Oliver, Paynter and Penrose.

Absent or not voting—Bradley, Bacon, Briggs, Chilton, Dillingham, Fall, Gamble, Gardner, Guggenheim, Heiskell of Arkansas, Jackson, Stone of Alabama, Johnston, Kern, Lea, Massey, Overman, Percy Smith of South Carolina, Smith of Michigan and Watson.

NOT GUILTY ON SECOND.

Not guilty was the verdict on the second article of impeachment, which charged Judge Archbald with having attempted to obtain a fee by settling a case between the Marion Coal Company and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad. The vote was 46 to 25 in the judge's favor.

On the third charge the Senate found Judge Archbald guilty. The vote on the third article was 60 to 11.

The vote on the fourth article of impeachment again resulted in Judge Archbald's conviction. The vote for conviction was 62 to 20.

The fifth vote resulted in another verdict of guilty. The vote was 66 to 6.

Judge Archbald was acquitted

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Moving Pictures Barred From Catholic Churches

ROME, Jan. 13.—All cinematograph representations in Catholic churches are henceforth prohibited even when they have a religious object, by a decree just issued by the Vatican. Hitherto the Vatican has approved the use of the cinematograph for purposes of education and religion.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Rev. Father Francis Conaty, secretary to Bishop Conaty of the Diocese of Los Angeles and Monterey, said that it would be some time before the terms of the papal decree against motion pictures were received and he could not determine from the able dispatches what the scope of the order was.

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JUDGE ARCHBALD HELD GUILTY

Commerce Court Jurist to be Removed by Verdict of Solons.

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On the sixth charge, the voting being 24 to 45.

A verdict of not guilty was voted on the seventh article. The vote was 23 to 36.

Judge Archbald was held not guilty on the charge in the eighth article. The vote, 22 to 42, failed of the necessary two-thirds.

The verdict of not guilty was voted on the ninth article, the vote being 23 to 39 for conviction.

NOT GUILTY ON TENTH.

On the tenth article of impeachment Judge Archbald was again held not guilty, the vote for conviction being 1 to 65.

The vote on the eleventh article resulted in another verdict of not guilty, the vote for conviction being 11 to 51.

Judge Archbald was acquitted on the twelfth charge.

The vote on the thirteenth and last article, which charged Judge Archbald with generally seeking credit from litigants before him and engaging in a general coal and business caused some delay. Some Senators wished to be excused from voting because of its generalities. A debate followed.

Finally the vote on the last article was reached and resulted 42 to 20 for Archbald's conviction on that charge.

The Senate in executive session decided to impose on Judge Archbald the full penalty of removal from office and disbarment from ever again holding a position of honor or profit for the United States.

Judgment was pronounced upon Judge Archbald at 4:33 o'clock. Senator Bacon announced the sentence removing the jurist from office and forever disqualifying him from public office or a position of trust. Judge Archbald was not in the chamber, but awaited the verdict in an ante-room.

HISTORY OF THE CASE

The impeachment proceedings against Judge Archbald were started early in 1912.

The House of Representatives called upon President Taft for a copy of the charges against the commerce court judge and in May, 1912, it began an investigation, through the judiciary committee which ended in the recommendations that Judge Archbald be impeached.

The House voted to impeach Judge Archbald July 7 and the impeachment was laid before the Senate July 15. The trial did not begin, however, until December 2.

First—That the 13 charges brought against Judge Archbald were:

First—That he influenced officers of the Erie railroad, then a litigant in his court, to grant him a favorable opinion on his share of the Katoomba culm dump, near Scranton, Pa. Judge Archbald acknowledged his part in the negotiations, but denied he "willfully or unlawfully or corruptly or otherwise took any advantage of his official position" to influence the railroad officials.

ATTEMPTS SETTLEMENT.

Second—That he attempted to effect a settlement between the Marion Coal company of Scranton and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad of a case then pending before the Interstate Commerce Commission on a basis that would have given him a share of the fee earned by George M. Watson, attorney for the Marion Coal company. Judge Archbald declared he acted in the case only as a friend of the interested parties and did not expect any compensation for his work.

Third—That he attempted to influence the Lehigh Valley Railroad company to relinquish a place on "Packer No. 2," near Shenandoah, Pa., to a suit brought on his behalf by the Lehigh Valley Railroad company. Judge Archbald claimed his negotiations for this property involved the exercise of no influence upon the Lehigh Valley Railroad company, but attempted to operate an adjoining coal property.

BRUCE CORRESPONDENCE.

Fourth—That Judge Archbald secured from Attorney Helm Bruce of the Louisville and Nashville railroad private letters and arguments to sustain an opinion in favor of the railroad in a suit before the Commerce Court. The jurist answered that his correspondence with Bruce was only to clear up a disputed bit of testimony and was not material to the decision of the case.

Fifth—That Judge Archbald influenced officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., owned by the Reading Railroad, to grant a lease on a coal property to Frederick Warnke, for which service Warnke gave him \$500. Judge Archbald denied that he wrongfully used his influence with the Reading company and asserted that the note given him by Warnke was payment for certain other coal properties in which Judge Archbald had an interest.

Sixth—That he tried to influence officials of the Lehigh Valley Railroad to buy an interest in 800 acres of coal land belonging to the Everhard heirs. Judge Archbald denied this.

STOCKS ARE ACQUIRED.

Seventh—That he settled an insurance suit in favor of W. W. Rinsinger of Scranton and accepted certain gold mining stock from Rinsinger. Judge Archbald declared the stock was not a reward for his decision, but collateral given him to protect him from a note he had signed with Rinsinger.

Eighth—That Archbald attempted to have a \$500 note discounted by C. G. Boland and W. P. Boland, litigants in his court. He denied that he had authorized having the note presented to the Bolands for discount.

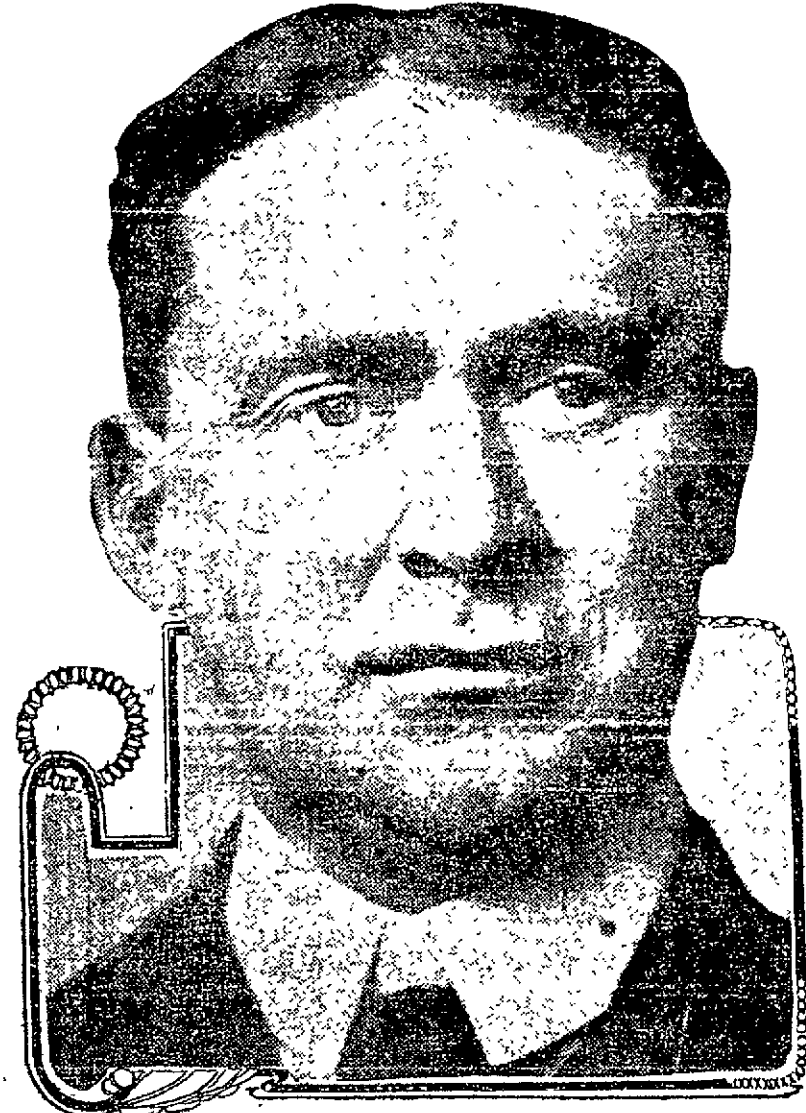
Ninth—That he permitted the same note to be presented to C. F. Vanstorch, a Scranton attorney, then practicing in his court, who discounted it, and then presented it to Vanstorch's favor. Judge Archbald denied that his influence as a judge had anything to do with the discounting of this note.

Tenth—That Judge Archbald accepted a trip to Europe at the expense of Henry W. Cannon of New York, a director of several railroads. The defense was that Cannon was Archbald's cousin, and that the trip was an ordinary family courtesy.

PURSE IS COLLECTED.

Eleventh—That Judge Archbald accepted a trip to Europe at the expense of \$500 raised by Scranton attorneys practicing in his court. He

JOHN MITCHELL IS SIGNALLY HONORED CHAIRMAN OF THE EQUALIZATION BOARD



JOHN MITCHELL of Oakland, who has been elected chairman of State Board of Equalization.

Record of Former Alameda County Supervisor Is Given Recognition by Colleagues

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—John Mitchell of Oakland was signally honored this afternoon by election to the office of chairman of the state board of equalization. Mitchell's record as a member of the equalization body has been brilliant, his filling the office with great credit and on many occasions rendering signal service to the state and its constituents.

John Mitchell, probably one of the best-known men in Alameda county, for three consecutive terms served as supervisor, and while in this office made a special study of assessments and tax rates. These years of study stood him in good stead on his election to the equalization board, where he put into practice many of the reforms he worked out while in the county service. He served two terms as chairman of the supervisors. Mitchell's years as supervisor earned for him the respect of the entire state and throughout his incumbency he was a leader in the fight for just assessments. This fight he carried on in the state board and as chairman of the board will probably be in a position to do more work of this nature. His election to the chairmanship is regarded as a particularly significant indication of the respect in which he is held by his colleagues on the taxation authority.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF SENATE ANNOUNCED

Lieut.-Governor A. J. Wallace Gives Out Long-Awaited List

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—The following standing committees of the Senate of the fortieth legislature were announced here today by Lieutenant Governor A. J. Wallace, presiding officer of the Senate:

Agriculture—Senators Cogswell, chairman; Birdsall, Avey, Mott, Rush, Strobbridge, Jones, Cohn, Grant.

Banking—Senators Tyrell, chairman; Thomas, Cogswell, Breed, Larkin, Mott, Gorde, Finn, Benson, Curtin, Cohn, Grant.

Civil Service—Senators Anderson, chairman; Brown, Flint, Hans, Sanford, Commers and Navigation—Senators Brown, chairman; Breed, Flint, Hewitt, Regan, Wright, Butler, Grant, Owens.

Contingent Expenses—Senators Gorde, chairman; Kehoe, Shanahan. Corporations—Senators Kehoe, chairman; Gates, Bryant, Hans, Larkins, Behan, Gerdes, Butler, Tyrell, Cohn, Julliard.

County Government—Senators Brown, chairman; Kehoe, Gordon, Benson, Gates, Hans, Anderson, Shanahan, Caminetti, Julliard, Sanford.

Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands—Senators Benson, chairman; Reed, Rush, Owens, Cohn. Education—Senators Avey, chairman; Strobbridge, Thompson, Jones, Anderson, Cogswell, Carr, Larkins, Kehoe, Hans, Behan, Butler, Shanahan, Curtin, Caminetti.

Fish and Game—Senators Hans, chairman; Birdsall, Behan, Flint, Gerdes, Brown, Lyon, Anderson, Bryant, Breed, Regan, Finn, Jones, Strobbridge, Sanford, Campbell, Caminetti.

Hospitals and Asylums—Senators Rush, chairman; Avey, Carr, Birdsall, Mott. Engrossment and Enrollment—Senators Cassidy, chairman; Lyon, Grant. Wright, chairman; Boynton, Carr, Cohn, Sanford, Finance—Senators Strobbridge, chairman; Hewitt, Boynton, Birdsall, Thompson, Gates, Rush, Bryant, Tyrell, Regan, Finn, Wright, Avey, Hans, Cassidy, Julliard, Campbell, Sanford, Caminetti, Cartwright, Curtin.

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COMPANY CLAIMS TARIFF ERROR IS RESPONSIBLE

Difference of 5 Cents in Rate Between Hayward and San Leandro Basis of Argument

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cents, but added that they did not always get it.

CROSBY CHARGED BOTH RATES.

Attorney Crosby himself being sworn, testified that he had been charged both rates and that the conductor had told him that his instructions were to charge 15 cents. "I telephone the office every night to find out if I am to charge 10 cents or 15," said the conductor to me," declared Crosby.

William Angus, president of the Hayward Chamber of Commerce, testified that the rate of 15 cents was a hindrance to the development of Hayward and had prevented prospective buyers of homes from closing deals they had begun. He testified that the S. P. commutation rate and that of the Western Pacific, between Hayward and Oakland, was but 23 and asserted that the company had agreed for a ten-trip ticket at 17 1/2 cents per trip and a 30-trip ticket at 15 cents per trip, but that the Chamber had not accepted and the offer had been withdrawn prior to the beginning of the present action. Angus said that while only 3000 people lived in Hayward proper, it had with its environs a population of 8000.

AID TO RESIDENTS.

Cross-examined by Attorney Smith he admitted that the special car service had been an aid to the residents and he stated that he did not know how the Hayward-Oakland service compared with similar transportation on other systems in this state. Asked if he knew about ticket scalping going on, he replied that he had heard of it and that it had been investigated by the Chamber of Commerce.

J. D. Armstrong, a resident of Hayward for twelve years, corroborated Angus and agreed with him that the present charges were excessive. He called attention to the 10 cent fare to Richmond and said that his observation showed that the traffic was about as heavy on both lines.

H. R. Robinson, a resident of the Hayward Chamber of Commerce, with one of the committee meeting with W. R. Alberger, vice-president of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railway, regarding reduced rates, and had also investigated ticket scalping.

WAS GENERAL PRACTICE.

"I will say that scalping was generally practiced in Hayward," he explained. "If we wanted we could go to a store and get the ticket for the day handed to us and we traveled on the lines without question. One place had as many as twenty of these commutation tickets and the company never insisted on purchasers signing their names. The conductor never asked to see a book, and as long as I have been riding on the lines he has taken the coupon and never asked for the book. Finally, the company appeared last February and took up the books, giving a receipt for the unused portion. That practically did away with scalping. I never rode on one of those tickets since."

"We had practically concluded negotiations with Alberger about the reduced rate, when he telephoned to me to attend a meeting at his office and told us when we went there that he was going to hold back for a while, as scalping was being done at Hayward. He read the names of four parties. We asked him to insist that the books be signed, so that the company would be protected. He called in J. H. Brown and gave instructions. I promised that I would see what I could do to prevent scalping. I went to the four people and found that they were persons who had their own books and had loaned them to others to use, as they were not signed. I told them they were interfering with our negotiations with the company, and they promised not to do it again. Since December 1 the company has insisted on having the books signed."

The testimony showed that the scalping had been done chiefly on the \$2.50 books issued between San Leandro and Hayward.

Other witnesses testifying along the same line were Peter Wilbert, real estate, Hayward; G. N. Ingle, a business man of Oakland, and J. M. Murphy, an attorney at law at Hayward.

The consensus of the complaints seems to be that it was wrong for the company to charge 5 cents for an eight-mile ride, from Oakland to the western limits of San Leandro, 5 cents for three-quarters of a mile from the western limits of San Leandro to Davis street, San Leandro, and 10 cents for the trip from there to Hayward.

Just before the conclusion of the morning session Commissioner Thelen said: "My sympathies are entirely with the conductors. They are in a peculiar position."

"If they disobeyed the company and did not charge the 15 cents they might lose their jobs, and it was particularly trying when passengers refused to pay more than 10 cents. Of course the commission will have to decide what has been the legal rate and what would be a fair rate for the future."

At the afternoon session James Matheson presented his evidence regarding inadequate service, alleged leaky cars and endeavor to substantiate his claim that the employees on the Hayward line are discontented.

THE COMPANY'S ATTITUDE.

While admitting that the legal rate between any two points is the lowest one, the company points out that the 15-cent rate has been in force ever since the establishment of the line and that no protests were ever made at this rate until the company issued the new tariff sheet. The tariff sheet filed with the commission contained a clerical error in the designation of San Leandro, that town not being limited in its boundaries in the same manner as shown on the company's rate sheet and as generally recognized by the public. The company's petition to have this schedule rectified by designating the proper boundaries of San Leandro will come up tomorrow, when the company will ask that the 15-cent rate which has been paid for years, be maintained.

TO PRESENT NOTE TO PORTE SOON

Convocation of Turkish Grand Council Sign in Favor of Peace.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The European powers will present their peace note to the Turkish government immediately. The final draft was agreed unanimously at today's meeting of the ambassadors.

CONSTANTINOPLE TO DECIDE.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The issue of peace or war will rest with Constantinople after the final drafting of the note to the Ottoman government, which will be settled at a meeting of the ambassadors at the British foreign office. Ambassadors today will decide the mode and time of presentation of the document to the Porte.

The convocation of the Turkish grand council is considered a sign in favor of peace. If Turkey were ready for war, the calling together of the council would be unnecessary.

The negotiations continue between M. J. B. and Dr. S. Danoff, leader of the Bulgarian peace delegation. It seems that Bulgaria questions strongly Roumanian's neutrality, and it is declared she is able to prove that Bucharest allowed 800 trucks of war material from Germany to pass through Roumanian territory on the way to Turkey.

CABINET TO RESIGN.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Turkish newspaper, Tasarrufi-Ekber, says that the Ottoman cabinet has decided to resign, according to a dispatch from Constantinople today. This is believed to indicate the predominance of the influence of the war party.

BOWIE LEASES NEW HOSTELRY

The leasing department of George W. Austin reports the leasing of the hotel building corner of Tenth and Washington streets by R. W. Kinney to H. R. Bowie, a prominent hotel man of San Francisco. The lease is for a term of years, and the approximate gross rental is \$35,000.

The building to be constructed is a four-story affair; hotel and stores beneath and will be completed about August 1 of this year.

This is the second lease this office has closed within the past twelve months. The building to be constructed is a four-story affair; hotel and stores beneath and will be completed about August 1 of this year.

All negotiations for the lease were transacted by Harold J. Cowdrey, leasing manager of George W. Austin's office, who represented both parties in the deal.

DECLARES MARRIAGE WAS IN FORM ONLY

Declaring that his marriage to Lulu Cook, which took place in Portland April 18 last, was one in form only and that he had been forced to leave his bride the following day, Ralph W. E. Cook has sought suit for annulment on statutory grounds.

It was expected that Mrs. Florence Collins Porter of Los Angeles, the first woman ever to qualify as a member of the body which takes the final step in the certification of the President of the United States, would be selected as the messenger of the delegation and carry the poll of the thirteen votes to Washington.

TO CURE A COLO IN ONE DAY

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DISCUSS METHOD OF PAYING COPYISTS

Supervisor Kelley Raises Question as to Piece and Salary Payments

A payment of \$450.00 on the Niles Canyon road is due Peter Osen, the contractor doing the work, on recommendation of the county surveyor. The Locke Construction Company, at work on the Niles' bridge, was reported entitled to a payment of \$958.71. Both recommendations were placed on file.

COPYISTS EMPLOYED.

Men were ordered employed to reproduce volumes in the recorder's office. I notice a discrepancy in these employments," said Supervisor J. F. Kelley. "Some of the copyists get piece rates, and some salary. Why the discrimination?"

"Some of the work done by the fello system, where piece work basis can be figured, and some is of a different character," said Supervisor Kelley. "The matter was brought up by Chief of Police August Vollmer of Berkeley, who appeared to urge the claims of the Berkeley Charity Organization for county aid in examining charity cases."

"I believe," said Vollmer, "that this is a fair request. We aid the county and it takes half the time of one of our workers. Other associations get this aid, and we feel we should."

"We feel that the county should pay for the work we do," said H. P. Miles. "The juvenile court is in favor of our doing the work, as we know more about Berkeley."

"If the Associated Charities do this we will draw out. We examine the cases anyhow, from the county. You don't put strangers into the field to duplicate our work."

"No one but the Oakland Associated Charities have gotten pay, but others have helped," said Mullins. "We will give you the same recognition you have always had."

"You have given us this work to do, and we are the official charity body," declared Miles.

"Berkeley people should handle this," said Mullins.

"The Associated Charities are handling our cases in Alameda," said Chairman Mullins. "The committees then withdrew."

The Associated Charities takes the stand that if Berkeley is given aid other towns will also do this. The Associated Charities of other towns, declares the Oakland body, will at once claim recognition.

"Then they will do all the work in Berkeley, and we are to stop?" asked Miles, who then claims were heard.

"We recognize the Associated Charities as official," said Mullins. "The Berkeley Charities organization asked to do this work. We have no room there unless medical cases. This was also taken from the Berkeley's hands."

The Berkeley organization will decline to do the work, according to Miles.

REAPPORT COMMISSION.

The Alameda county exposition commission was reapportioned to look after all county exhibitions, acting without pay. Paul Goldsmith, secretary of the commission, was reapportioned, as was W. P. Nichols, treasurer, and Harry Lane, custodian of the exhibit at the Los Angeles Exposition.

The commission named includes the following: Theodore Gier, F. A. Lee, Jr., Wilbur Walker, Mayor Frank K. Mott, all of Oakland; A. F. St. Sure of Alameda, M. G. Callaghan of Livermore, and Wells Drury of Berkeley.

Paul Goldsmith and Harry Lane, to receive pay for their work. On Nichols devolves the work of preparing all exhibits. Goldsmith and Nichols will receive \$200 monthly and Lane \$125. Necessary expenses will also be allowed for this publicity work.

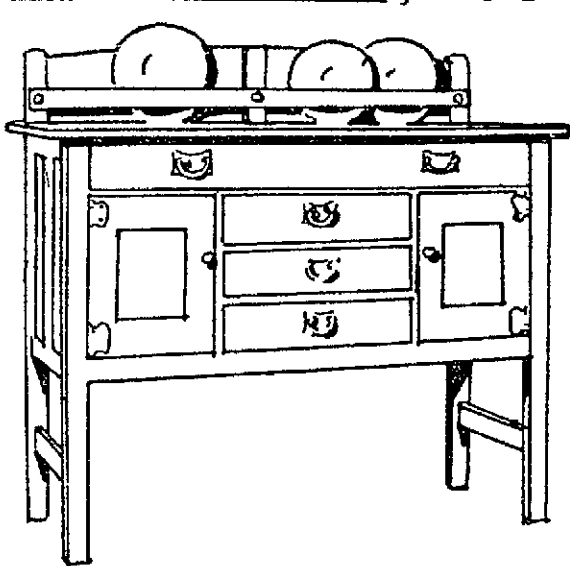
After a recess Supervisor Kelley brought up the matter of employing copyists again, objecting to the proposition of piecework for one employee and salary for another. A. T. Biddle stated that in copying old documents the work must be done with almost microscopic accuracy making lines the same, and that this takes more time. The supervisors decided that the appointment of the copyists, as recommended by the recorder, should stand, passing it over Kelley's adverse vote.

KILLED SAVING DOG.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Trying to save the life of "Mink," her pet Mexican hairless dog which had run in front of the Redondo "Flyer," a fast electric car, Miss Mary Murray, 24 years old, was killed last night near Los Angeles.

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AD MEN TO MEET AT LUNCHEON IN HOTEL OAKLAND



W. W. CRIBBENS.

Active work for 1913 will be commenced by the Oakland Advertising club when that organization meets at luncheon at the Hotel Oakland tomorrow at 12:15 p. m.

A splendid program has been arranged. The members will be addressed by W. E. Joslyn, a noted publicity expert of San Francisco. This wide experience in the handling of the publicity of large mercantile houses should enable him to give the Oakland association some valuable information.

A. L. Gerhart will speak on "Photo Engraving, Its Relation to Advertising," and will have an exhibit of work to illustrate his remarks. The first section of the educational course furnished by the National Associated Advertising Clubs of America will be given. The talk will be illustrated by Stereopticon slides.

This talk has been prepared by George French, member of the National Educational Committee, and deals with "The Advertising Man and His Personal Qualifications to Assure Success."

All business men will be welcomed.

STRYCHNINE IN BAKER'S WHISKEY

Police Investigate Illness of
San Franciscoan, But no
One is Accused.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—A kindly feeling, or affection, felt by two men and directed toward the landlady who presides over the house in which they reside, was responsible for police investigation this morning. After Paul Gudrey, a baker, of 817 Eddy street had been taken to the Park Emergency Hospital, suffering, it is believed, from strychnine poisoning.

Mrs. A. Hynes, who runs the rooming-house where Gudrey lives, Charles Tate, a barber in the Phelan building, who is another lodger, and Marie Gudrey, aged 18, the baker's daughter, were questioned by Detective Leamon, and finally released after the two named had protested their innocence of any wrongdoing and their utter ignorance of the cause of Gudrey's illness.

Nevertheless, it developed that because of their regard for Mrs. Hynes, the two men had not spoken for over a year, and it was only after Gudrey had been hospitalized that the two men, as well as much jealousy between them, as well as much rivalry for the favor of the lady.

FEELS ILLNESS.
Gudrey says he was on his way to the bakery where he is employed at 214 Devisadero street shortly before 6 o'clock this morning, and when he reached home he found his daughter Marie, who is a helper in the bakery, feeling ill. When he reached the bakery he was overcome and had to be removed to the Park Hospital. Gudrey was formerly a druggist and a step too far, but he would make no direct charge.

Detective Leamon had carefully questioned Gudrey's daughter, Mrs. Hynes and Tate, he released them, but ordered that the whiskey be sent to the city chemist for examination.

ILLINOISANS ARRANGE SCOTCH PROGRAM

The Illinois Society of California will hold its regular monthly public meeting and entertainment at Ravens hall, 629 Twelfth street tonight. A splendid program has been arranged for the evening. The program in character Robert Robertson, president of the Rotary club, will talk on Scotch history, music and wit, probably in costume. Mrs. Dorothy Gardner Smith of the Berkeley School of Music and Dramatic Art will read Scotch selections, and this will be a treat in itself. Miss Hazel Lapham, a very talented pianist, will contribute Scotch music. Mrs. Carrie C. Mellor will sing the old Scotch songs and Miss Alice Heaney will dance the Highland Fling.

All Illinoisans and their families and friends are invited. The president of the society is Mrs. A. E. Hall, secretary, Mrs. Birdie Picher, Treasurer.

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OAKLAND

"BLIND PIG" RAID ENDS IN RIOT

Russians Attack Officers;
Clubs and Beer Bottles
Are Weapons.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Motorcycle Policemen T. E. Campbell was injured, two men were arrested on felony charges, and a riot was put down with difficulty by the police following a raid upon a "blind pig" before midnight.

Prior to the arrival of reinforcements from the Mission station, two patrolmen had been hurled off bodily from the grocery of William Sosin, 866 Rhode Island street, and but for the coming of aid might have met a similar fate. The hands of a score of infuriated men.

Policemen McTear and Rioran of the Potrero station, in plain clothes, visited Sosin's establishment and found that liquor was being sold in violation of the law. They attempted to place the proprietor under arrest, but all of the inmates surged upon them and ejected them before they could draw their revolvers. A call was sent to the Mission station for aid and officers Kirby and Campbell responded on their motorcycles.

The four men then re-entered and while three of them held back the crowd, Campbell attempted to drag Sosin from the building.

As he seized him the foreigners, mostly Russians, held in subjection by the other policemen, broke away and began to attack their captors. Campbell drew his pistol and Mrs. Sosin screamed. The proprietor then broke away from Campbell, seized a beer bottle and broke it over the officer's head. In the riot that followed, the police used their clubs, and eight men were arrested. Sosin was charged with conducting a "blind pig" and assault with a deadly weapon, and others were accused of resisting an officer and assault to do great bodily harm.

Campbell was treated for a severe wound on the scalp at the Mission Emergency Hospital.

DESCENDANT OF REVERE IS DEAD

Worcester Business Man Was
Great Grandson of Famed
Messenger.

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 13.—Frederick Revere, 77 years of age, former business man of Worcester, great grandson of Paul Revere, who made himself famous by his ride from Boston to Concord in 1776 to give the alarm, died here yesterday at the city's home farm, where he was committed last September.

Revere was born in Bridgeport, the son of Paul and Mary Revere and came to Worcester in 1876 to engage in the sign painting business, in which line he continued for three years before his death. He was considered the best among his belongings at the home farm were found many letters and papers dating back before the Revolutionary War and presumably handed down to him by his father.

Revere married twice, but no children, according to records, resulted from either union. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning with the G. A. R. and the Sons of the Revolution in charge.

LINEERS CHANGE LANES OF ATLANTIC TRAVEL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The principal trans-Atlantic steamship lines, having decided a few days ago to change their lanes of travel across the ocean, the naval hydrographic office has prepared and made ready for distribution a supplement to its pilot chart, published two weeks ago. The new charts show the new routes.

MEYER CASTS LONGING EYE ON SENATE CHAIR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Secretary of the Navy Meyer has tonight announced that he might be a candidate for the United States Senate from Massachusetts if the Republican caucus could not determine upon a selection from candidates now before it. He expressed the wish, however, that the nomination be settled in caucus.

"LEFTY" BANNON HAS PASSED AWAY

Old School Politician Dies; Was
Famous Among Saloon
Element.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—"Lefty" Bannon is dead.

The once famous character of the rough house political days south of Market street was found to have breathed his last some time during Saturday night in his room at 552 Eleventh street.

It was like the finish of some of the old political machines and there were few to mourn his demise.

Bannon, in his peculiar way, was for a long while almost as well known among politicians as old Emperor Norton was among local shopkeepers. He was a fighter of the school of rough and tumble and nothing was too unfair for him in taking advantage of an opponent.

Buckley used to have him on his staff, and Cannon and Brady and Higgins and all the rest. He was one of the hangers-on at every legislature in Sacramento and was in "wild de push" whenever wise underground advice concerning the higherups was sought.

The Bannon finally went the way of all politicians of the minor kind. The liquor question was too much for him and he always was trying to solve it by the charitable application of free drinks at others expense. He drifted down his south of Market street brick pile in late years and became a hanger-on around the police court.

Many had sympathy for him and he managed to eat and sleep and drink. His brother Malachi, was kind to him and he would not let the road be cut and get him de squeeze, can't go to no bum jail.

There were days when "Lefty" would defy judges and take right swings at policemen. If the right swing was not effective in putting the man to the floor a bottle or any handy missile usually did the trick.

On one occasion "Lefty" was arrested for vagrancy. He explained to the court:

"The judge, me and the chief were talking about de guys south of the slot when Jimmy the Crick came along and pinched me."

He got 10 days just the same and when a friend approached the courtroom he bowed out. Billy, his husband, cut and get me de squeeze, can't go to no bum jail.

"Lefty" and his brother once jointly had the sum of 75 cents and they decided to corner a Wells, Fargo & Co. "old hand" sale. They bid the small sum mentioned and that the sale would have to be held all over again.

ELABORATE PROGRAM FOR INSTALLATION

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—An open meeting, which includes a musical and literary program, has been arranged by Columbia auxiliary No. 1, Daughters of the Covenant, for its annual installation this evening in the B'nai B'rith building, 149 Eddy street. This is the oldest auxiliary to the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith in San Francisco.

Mrs. Sophie Horzberg, the retiring president, will be presented with a gift from the auxiliary during the evening. Past President Miss Theresa Zekind making the presentation speech.

The conductress of the installation will be Miss Esther Salomon, and Henry Zekind, the outgoing counselor, will act as installing officer. The first duty of the new president on taking the chair will be to appoint new officers for the only office in the auxiliary which may be held by a man. Elliot M. Epstein, past president of California lodge No. 163 of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, has been selected for this position.

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Give Your Stomach, Liver and 30 Feet of Bowels a Thorough Cleansing Without Gripe or Nausea. Ends headache, Bilioussness, Indigestion and Constipation.

This wonderful fruit laxative acts as a liver and bowel cleanser—tonic—not as an irritant. Its action is natural and gentle—no gripping. It is delicious—no dragging—it is positive and prompt—no waiting. If your stomach is sour and filled with vile gases, your head aches, or you are bilious, nervous, dizzy, half sick, your tongue coated, your thirty feet of bowels clogged with waste not properly carried off—don't wait. Surely take a teaspoonful of delicious Syrup of Figs tonight, and in the morning all constipated waste, sour bile, gases and poisons will move on and out of the system, gently but thoroughly—no gripping, no nausea, no weakness. In the old days people let these matters run until they needed a large dose of physic, then they took something severe, like castor oil, salts or cathartics, that meant abuse to the bowels. These are the days of the gentle and natural—the days of Syrup of Figs. This way you are not disgraced by your self. Syrup of Figs being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics can not cause injury. Ask your druggist for "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," and look for the name, California Fig Syrup Company on the label. This is the genuine—old reliable. Any other so-called Fig Syrup is an imitation often with deleterious results. Refuse such with contempt.

LAST REMNANT OF MAINE IS REMOVED

Mainmast of Historic Ship
Will be Embodied in Monument.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Work of removing the last remnants of the wreck of the old battleship Maine and the accumulations that gathered about it in the bottom of Havana harbor has been completed. Colonel William M. Black of the corps of engineers of the army, who was detailed to carry out the undertaking, has submitted a general report on the subject and a detailed account of expenditures will be forthcoming.

Following the removal of the after portion of the Maine, which was floated last February and towed to sea and buried on March 16 last, it still was necessary to remove the cofferdam which had been built around the wreck, as well as to remove clay, rocks and other accumulations so as to restore the site to the condition it was on the memorable day in February, fifteen years ago, when the battleship went to the bottom. The forward portion, which was discovered after the burial of the ship proper, was sunk deep into the mud at the bottom of the harbor, this means being devised as the easiest to prevent it from becoming a menace to navigation.

The mainmast of the historic ship will be sent to Arlington cemetery to be embodied in a monument to the Maine dead. Sufficient funds are left from the appropriation for the raising of the battleship to provide for the setting of the mast. The after turret and two 10-inch guns were given to the Cuban government. Numerous inquiries are being received at the navy department from military and naval organizations and municipalities desirous of obtaining some of the tablets to be struck from the metal work and equipment of the wrecked battleship.

"WHAT'S THE USE?" IS SERGEANT'S PLAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Sergeant Soransen, stationed at Alcatraz island and living at the Terminal hotel, always prided himself on being a "good fellow" and never turning away from a comrade in distress. Therefore, when he saw a former member of his company displaying danger to himself, and almost ready to go down to defeat before the onslaught of hunger, he extended a helping hand, hired a room for him at his hotel and bought him his supper.

The signals on lower Market street found the man had procured his room from the night clerk and had taken all of his belongings valued at \$125.

Physician and Nurse Killed in Accident

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 13.—Dr. J. R. Stuart, head of a local infirmary, and Miss Ruby Larsen, a nurse, were killed last night when the automobile in which they were riding collided with a wagon on a bridge near Houston.

Both conveyances fell from the bridge and down an eight-foot embankment. The two occupants of the wagon were not seriously hurt.



It is a poor treatment for stomach trouble that treats the stomach alone. Back of all your lack of appetite, sourness of stomach, belching of gas, nausea, pains after eating, heaviness and lump-like feeling in the stomach and blood. The food is fermenting in the stomach, only partly digested, because the stomach is weak. Take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for a time and notice the difference in your stomach. You will be able to eat three good meals a day without discomfort. You will also find a great improvement in your general health, and new strength in every nerve and muscle. A booklet, "What to Eat and How to Eat," is free upon request. Your druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at 50 cents per box; or boxes for \$2.50, or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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A delightful surprise awaits, particularly those who have been careless, whose hair has been neglected or is

scraggy, faded, dry, brittle or thin. Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks use of Danderine, when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair, and lots of it, surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and just try it.

—Advertisement.

PROCEDURE HALTS JUSTICE; CLAIM

Prosecutors Hampered by the
Rules of Trials, They
Declare.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Securing convictions of known law violators is prevented in a great measure by existing statutes defining criminal court procedure, according to California prosecutors, and changes in these laws to facilitate convictions will be discussed at the state convention of the District Attorneys' Association, which began here today. A number of proposed laws have been formulated by the legislative committee of the association and an effort will be made to have them enacted at the present session of the legislature. No business was transacted by the convention today. The visiting prosecutors were taken on an automobile trip about the city and to Pasadena. Tonight there will be a theater party. Nearly every county in the state is represented by its district attorney or an assistant.



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GOVERNOR URGES 'SHORT BALLOT'

Shafroth of Colorado Opposed
to "Headless" Vote
Law.

DENVER, Jan. 13.—A constitutional amendment providing for a "short ballot" with all the executive officers of the state appointed by the governor, was recommended to the nineteenth general assembly of Colorado by John F. Shafroth, its retiring chief executive, in his biennial message today. The governor called attention to the present headless ballot law, which he says makes it difficult for the voter to pass upon the merits of the individual candidates for state offices. He added:

"The governor generally is held responsible for the action of the entire executive department of the state, and he ought to have officers in such departments in sympathy with his administration."

Among the other recommendations made by Governor Shafroth, who was designated by the voters of the state at the last election for United States Senator, are the following:

Bank guaranty law, employees compensation act, presidential preference primary elections, a law designed to lessen danger of coal mine explosions, a state automobile tax for improving highways, an appropriation of \$100,000 for state representation at the San Francisco and San Diego expositions in 1915.

The governor declared that the federal government's conservative policy "has been so detrimental as to render development of our natural resources almost impossible."

He urged legislation to prevent monopoly of the natural resources of the state.

LOS ANGELES MAN HELD; MUST FACE INQUIRY

STOCKTON, Jan. 13.—J. T. Roberts, who came here from Los Angeles shortly before Christmas, and has since posed as a man of means, is being held by the police pending an investigation of an attempt to flood the city with fictitious checks. Papers found in the possession of Roberts indicated that he had at one time had a large account with the All-Day and All-Night Bank but that it had been closed. Roberts is said to have written worthless checks totaling between \$100 and \$200 to pay poker debts.

ANTI-ALIEN LAWS MAY BE HELD UP; LOS ANGELES AND NORTH TO UNITE

Shanahan Objects to Strobbridge's Work for State Education

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vention wrote an anti-alien plank in their state platform and pledged themselves to work for it. They will do their utmost to carry out this pledge, but some of them will explain that they will have lived up to the platform by waiting for a new year.

SHANAHAN ENRAGED.
That there is likely to be a clash between Senator Strobbridge of Alameda and Senator Shanahan of Shasta developed yesterday when the "political sycamore" of Redding declared that he would not be relegated to the background and allow some one else to nurse his free text book infant. Shanahan feels that inasmuch as he is the father of the new law he should have a voice in the reorganization of the board of education or at least to the extent of directing the destinies of his own political offspring.

Sensor Shanahan fears that the bill prepared by the Commonwealth Club of San Francisco for the reorganization of the board of education, which he understands will be introduced by Senator Strobbridge, as chairman of the Senate text book investigating committee, is designed to preclude the acceptance of his ideas and solely as a Progressive measure.

Sensor Strobbridge in addition to being father of the free text book law, is a member of the senate free text book investigating committee—and likewise is a Democratic stalwart. He intimated that the Commonwealth Club was assuming the role of a "text book" in its work for the reorganization of the board of education, which he termed as one of the most vital pieces of legislation to be considered by the legislature, and declared that regardless of all bills introduced he would present his plan. "My measure will be designed to appeal to the people—the same people who accepted my ideas about free text books—and I am willing that it should stand comparison with the other bills that are introduced."

STAND IS IN DOUBT.
Sensor Strobbridge has not indicated positively that he intends to accept the Commonwealth Club's measure and eliminate any proposed bills for the reorganization of the board of education that might be presented by the Senate text book investigating committee or from the committee as a whole. Sensor Shanahan's fears are said to have cropped out through the fact that Professor Thomas H. Reed of the State University, who came to Sacramento on behalf of the bill, as the Commonwealth's emissary, presented the bill to Senator Strobbridge and has conferred with him at various times.

Sensor Shanahan declares that he will appeal to his constituents on the floor of the house not to allow the reorganization of the board of education to become a party measure. Sensor Newton W. Thompson of Los Angeles, another member of the committee, defended Senator Strobbridge and himself when asked concerning Senator Shanahan's remarks.

"If Senator Shanahan has any such fears," Senator Thompson said, "they are absolutely groundless. There is no intention of ignoring Senator Shanahan, either on any part of Senator Strobbridge's or any part of Senator Thompson's side."

TO PREPARE REPORT.
"In fact, following the recent text book investigation, it was decided that Senator Shanahan should prepare the report and that the committee, after consideration, should take action on it, either by concurrence or dissent."

"The committee is still waiting for Senator Shanahan's report and I believe it is about time that the committee got together."

"I am withholding my opinion of what is the best method of procedure to make the board of education more operative and reorganizing the board of education, pending Senator Shanahan's report."

"So far as the belief that Senator Strobbridge will accept the Commonwealth Club's measure and eliminate any proposed bills for the reorganization of the board of education, I feel that Senator Shanahan is much more concerned over losing a little glory than the fact that the committee report will be ignored."

"Professor Reed conferred with Senator Strobbridge and also myself on the Commonwealth Club's bill and I was under the impression that it was also presented to Senator Shanahan."

"I believe that there will be several bills of education reorganizing bills introduced for introduction and I think that they should be introduced by Senator Strobbridge, as chairman of the investigation committee, but they should not necessarily affect any measure introduced by the committee itself."

WOMEN REPRESENTED.
Indications that the women of the state will be given more consideration than ever before, as a result of their recent enfranchisement are gradually appearing in proposed legislation of other than the long voting strength of the women will undoubtedly be a factor that will govern many hopeful women. Bills are already being prepared with this in view and the content of the measures shows clearly the legislators have the weather-eye on the newly-enfranchised voters.

Red-light regulation, anti-prize fighting and similar bills are being drafted while other solons are planning to make women active members of the legislative body in the political affairs of the state.

Assemblyman G. W. Wylie of Dinuba, will resurrect his so-called red-light bill, which was voted down at the last session. The bill is directed at the social evil of the state and provides that when this fact is proven, the property shall be closed up or otherwise rendered valueless from a revenue standpoint for the period of one year. The bill also contains other drastic measures.

Assemblyman W. F. Brown of Los Angeles, will make an appeal through an anti-prize fighting law. He proposes to amend the existing law, which at which admission is charged. There is said to be a strong sentiment favorable to Brown's bill in the lower house.

Sensor Prescott F. Cogswell of Los Angeles, wants women to be given a head in the management of the state institutions, particularly those dealing with girls. He proposes to accomplish this by means of a bill that will provide for the removal of all older boys from the Whittier state reformatory to the Fresno state industrial school at Yone, Fresno county, and transfer the younger boys at Fresno

ASSEMBLYMAN PRESCOTT F. COGSWELL, WHO WOULD SHARE GOVERNMENT WITH FAIR SEX.



years, and the most general cause for divorce was wilful desertion, with extreme cruelty a close second and infidelity cutting only a small figure in the percentages.

One encouraging feature of the report is the showing that the last fiscal year, July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, records a slight decrease in the percentage of divorces in ratio to marriages, being 13.6 compared with percentages of more than 14 for the two preceding fiscal years.

In part the report is as follows: "During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912, 25,388 marriages were recorded in the state, and 3,949 final decrees of divorce granted, the percentage of divorce to marriage being 13.6 per cent, or about one divorce to every seven marriages. In the county of San Francisco there were 5500 marriages and 1049 divorces, or about one divorce to every five marriages."

ONE DIVORCE IN SIX.
"In Alameda county there were 2670 marriages and 482 divorces, or about one divorce to every six marriages. Of the total of 2549 divorces, 1008, or 39.3 per cent, were the result of action in which husbands were plaintiffs, and 1541, or 60.7 per cent, were the result of action in which wives were plaintiffs. In San Francisco county 25.6 per cent of the divorces were brought by husbands, and 74.4 per cent by wives."

"Divorces were granted to couples married less than five years in 725 instances, to couples married from five to ten years in 1084 instances, to couples married from eleven to twenty years in 1350 instances, and to couples married over twenty years in 478 instances, representing, respectively, 18.4 per cent, 42.1 per cent, 28.6 per cent and 10.9 per cent of the total."

"Of the total number of divorces granted 141, or 3.6 per cent, were for adultery; 1165, or 4.5 per cent, for extreme cruelty; 1720, or 6.6 per cent, for wilful desertion; 581, or 2.3 per cent, for neglect and failure to provide; 140, or 0.5 per cent, for intemperance, and 34, or 0.1 per cent, for conviction of a felony."

"Of the total 3,949 divorces to whom divorces were granted, 62, or 1.6 per cent, were without children. In San Francisco county 49.5 per cent were without children. There were 2622 minor children affected by the granting of divorces."

Equalization Board Renders its Report

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 12.—Public service corporations in the state, except the Wells-Fargo Express Company, pay a lower average tax rate, through tax on their gross earnings, than does the average private taxpayer of the state.

This is the conclusion reached by the state board of equalization after an exhaustive investigation which is contained in a report transmitted today to Governor Johnson. The report makes no specific recommendations because, it says, the situation is sufficiently evident without them.

It is the conclusion of the board that the average tax rate in the state for all property except that of the well-known public service corporations is \$1.1286 upon each \$100 of actual value.

AVERAGE TAX RATE.
The average rates of taxes paid by the several classes of the withdrawn public service corporations, as determined upon the basis of a stock and bond valuation, are:

1. For railroads and street railways \$0.5992 upon \$100 of actual value of property.
2. For gas and electric companies, \$0.75.
3. For telephone and telephone companies, \$0.8600.
4. For car companies (Pullman company only), \$0.8814.
5. For express companies (Wells-Fargo & Co. only), \$1.5413.

TAXATION ON BANKS.
The constitution itself fixes the tax rate for the banks and the insurance companies, being for the former 1 per cent upon the book value of the stock (paid up capital stock, surplus and undivided profits) and for insurance companies 1 1/2 per cent on gross premium less return premiums and reinsurance. Also for franchises the constitution prescribes that a rate of 1 per cent upon actual cash value to

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DISCLOSURES BRISTLE IN CONTROL BOARD'S REPORT

Organization Declares Three-Quarters of Million Has Been Saved

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—Three-quarters of a million dollars saved to the state; one state board secretary confronted with charges of personal dishonesty which he is said to have admitted; accounts of investigations of state institutions and boards not heretofore disclosed, and a number of recommendations for new legislation are contained in the first biennial report of the state board of control.

The report is made public by John Francis Neylan, president of the board, and besides accounting for its extraneous activities gives an account of an entirely altered system of transacting state business.

New reports on investigations of the board are on the following:
Southern California state hospital at Patton.

State board of medical examiners. State mining bureau.

Financial accounts, state board of health.

The only personal situation now hanging air, as shown in the report of the board, is that of Dr. Charles L. Tisdale, secretary of the state board of medical examiners. The report transmits to the governor a check for \$1324 and some other items.

"This sum represents restitution to the funds of the medical board of certain amounts found short in the accounts of Dr. Charles L. Tisdale, secretary."

The supplemental report says that no one but Dr. Tisdale profited by the shortage and asserts that he admitted this. A feature of the shortage is that some of it came from the funds paid in by thirty-nine physicians as license fees. "An examination of the cash book," the report says, "shows that in certain instances names of these applicants and record of their payments had been made in the cash book and had been subsequently erased."

"NOTHING OF VALUE."
"Nothing of value," is what the state mining bureau accomplished, according to the board's report, which further says that when C. L. Avery, superintendent of accounts of the board, arrived and began his investigation of the bureau's accounts, he found on hand only \$539 in cash, where the books showed \$2382. The discrepancy was accounted for by "tabs" representing "loans and advances" made to the state mineralogist and to other appointees. W. V. Thayer, superintendent of the bureau, according to the report, had a tab for \$50, which was over a year old. It represented an advance for the payment of freight but the report finds that no freight was paid from it and Thayer was asked to refund, which he did. Memoranda of other advances to Thayer also were found.

Over \$490 in cash tabs was found charged against Paul W. Putzman, a mining engineer, who was supposed to give his entire time to the preparation of a bulletin on the oil industry of Southern California.

"Up to the present time," says the report, "there has been no result of this employment shown," and it is stated that the board has refused to audit any more claims for salary or expenses for Putzman, whose employment is pronounced illegal. State Mineralogist W. S. Storms is criticised as "showing little knowledge as to what time Putzman has devoted to the mining bureau," and because cash tags signed by himself were found in the cash drawer.

Flood of Bills in Assembly Held Back

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—The flood of bills impending in the Assembly was still held back today by the deadlock over the committee on "revision and printing of bills," proposed by the joint rules committee. The Assembly in a 45-minute session this morning accepted the report of the attaches committee, but over the consideration of the joint rules until tomorrow and suspended the order of business under which bills are introduced and adjourned until 4 o'clock this afternoon, making it probable that no bills will be introduced until tomorrow.

Assemblyman Foley presented a resolution by the board of supervisors of Colusa county calling upon the state to appropriate \$1,000,000 or more for the erection of a state building at the exposition. This action is asked because the share of exposition expenses allotted Colusa county cannot be legally raised within the county, says the resolution. Identical resolutions were received from Glenn and Tehama counties.

A bulky petition circulated in Los Angeles by a prohibition organization asking anti-prohibition and anti-vice legislation was handed in by Assemblyman Blythett.

Plan Protection for Municipal Projects

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Under its terms a large concern doing business in various sections is forbidden to cut prices in one section below prevailing in the balance of its territory, nor to destroy a competitor or stifle independent competition, at the point where prices are slashed.

PENALTY IS SEVERE.
Severe penalties are provided against violations of the acts. Officers and directors of a corporation are made individually liable to fine or imprisonment; the charter of the corporation is made liable to forfeiture; contracts made in violation of the act are declared illegal, and provision is made for actions to enjoin unfair competition and to recover total damages.

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feature, said that it amounted to only about \$8000 a year. The board recommends that instead of general advertising the state keep a register on which persons or corporations desiring to bid on state work may have their names entered for a nominal fee. These persons or corporations would then be notified whenever any business came up in which they were interested.

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STEVENS MAKES VAUDEVILLE BOW

Popular Oakland Actor Royally Welcomed at the Orpheum.

(By LEO LEVY.)

What gluttons for novelty are these vaudeville audiences!

Does a member of the Wonder Brothers' troupe bound across a slack wire on his head, thundering and long is the applause. Scattered here and there are persons who acclaim the feat. But the rest rejoice that the Wonder Brothers have traveled the wire as no man before him.

Can you sing under water, while through your ears, juggle no matter how badly—standing on your head, toy with butterflies, flick the ashes off a man's cigar with a lash, then are you greater than a Bopel, more marvelous than Charles Kellough, as sure of fame as any of the great.

And if you have annexed the ability to display grief, joy and the rest of the emotions as they have never been displayed before — you are almost certain of seeing your name in electric lights over the theater of the land.

PERSONAL TRIBUTES

"My Lord in Motley" does none of this and that is why those many minutes of applause, yesterday, were tributes alone to the personal popularity of Landers Stevens and George Cooper. The Oakland Orpheum was a noisy place when Stevens made his entrance as Belphegor in a condensed adaptation of D'Emery's "The Montebank." After Stevens had made several vain attempts to go on with the act, he gave in and thanked the gathered admirers. And when he and his company had finished and a drop shielded the tableau, there was more applause. But there was the personal note in every hand clap. The playlet scarcely deserved it.

For "My Lord in Motley" is old-fashioned dramatics and they don't want that in vaudeville. Madeline's grief is occasioned by the illness of her child, and there's nothing novel in that, is there? When the showman breaks down and weeps he soaks in a way that is old as the play itself. Better for vaudeville that he sat, staring and sightless, better that he gave vent to his agony by crushing the tablecloth with one straining, bloodless hand. There's novelty for you!

CONSTRUCTION FAULTY.

"My Lord in Motley" is faulty in construction, as far as the present condensation stands. The situation it presents is too broad to be worked out in the space allowed. A tabloid. It has neither chance nor space to grow naturally and must be forced to a conclusion, as a consequence the denouement is strained and tattered. Character development, too, is a near-impossibility, which amounts to a dramatic fatality. The production is ambitious, splendidly dressed and costumed. But Stevens and Miss Cooper have been seen to better advantage.

Walter Kelly, "The Virginian Judge," opened a new chapter of his famed police court yesterday, the supreme delight of those present. Kelly tells a good story better than the next fellow, so he's properly popular. Winona Winsor returns unscathed by musical comedy, which has billed her since she was here last.

Will M. Barry's village lawyer of the present week is infinitely more artistic than Hip Slitters. The latter gentleman, probably drawn from life, is too near the rule of the comic supplement to be human. Lew Price and Lillian Gonne scored heavily yesterday with musical idiosyncrasy and "cass."

Jimmy Barry and Mrs. Barry are back with an act that is improvement over former offerings. The Schmetzian open the bill with poses and equilibristic work that registers fairly well above the average.

KING GEORGE IN DANGEROUS CONDITION
HEART SAID TO BE AFFECTED BY COLD

KING GEORGE AND QUEEN MARY. IT IS RUMORED THAT THE KING IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

Eminent Doctors in Constant Attendance; Queen Mary Takes Personal Charge of Diet

LONDON, Jan. 13.—A rumor is current that King George is in a dangerous condition, his recent cold coupled with chronic dyspepsia having seriously affected his heart. The court physicians are reticent, and concerted efforts have been made to suppress information. Owing to a sudden illness at Christmas the King took no part in the real festivities. For months he has been living on soups and biscuits steeped in warm milk with a little fruit. Queen Mary has taken personal charge of the royal

diet, and two eminent doctors are in constant attendance. Prince Albert, George V's second son and Britain's young sailor prince, will soon set his foot on American soil. His royal highness sets sail on the cadets' training ship Cumberland, from Plymouth, Saturday next. He will be away from England for six months, will rough it with the rest of England's future admirals above and below decks, and will incidentally help to show the flag at several United States ports on the Atlantic seaboard.

It was originally intended to restrict the Cumberland's greeting of Uncle Sam to the port of San Juan, Porto Rico, just before she touches at Havana and Bermuda. The plan was changed at the last moment.

Albert is a sturdy young man in his seventeenth year, who has done four years hard work at the Royal Naval colleges of Osborne and Dartmouth, learning to be a real sailor. This will be his first cruise. The Cumberland is an armored cruiser, displacing 3800 tons, with a speed of about 23 knots. Her commanding officer is Captain Aubrey C. H. Smith, M. V. O. Captain Smith was summoned to the palace last week, when Queen Mary gave him final instructions as to the government of her son. The King could not be present owing to indisposition. After the six months' cruise and the return of the Cumberland, Captain Smith is sure of a decoration, probably that of knight commander of the bath.

HONOR MEMORY OF DR. COLLYER

"Blacksmith Preacher" Eulogized at Services in Local Church.

Memorial services in honor of the late Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer, known as the "blacksmith preacher," who died in New York at the age of 90, were held in the First Unitarian church yesterday. Several pastors united in paying their tribute to the famous preacher. Special songs were sung by Clement E. Rowlands, the church soloist.

During the civil war Dr. Collyer was distinguished for his work in the field as chaplain. Rev. Frederick L. Fowler of Berkeley, who was his personal friend for many years in the middle west told of the many noble characteristics with which his friend was endowed.

Dr. William S. Morgan of the Pacific Theological seminary at Berkeley declared that Dr. Collyer was not a problem preacher as many of the ministers of today are called. He secured his results by making an appeal directly to the heart of the individual and was always direct in dealing with the simple duties of life.

In the final words Rev. William Day Simonds, pastor of the Unitarian church further eulogized the noted clergyman. He also announced that there would be no further service in the church until February when the regular service would be resumed.

GOVERNOR WILSON BACK ON THE JOB

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 12.—Governor Wilson reached the state house from Chicago shortly after a o'clock this morning, prepared to devote most of the day to state business. He accepted an invitation to a luncheon today given by the Democratic state committee to the New Jersey electors and promised to make an address.

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All druggists sell Posilam (price, 50 cents), and Posilam Soap (price, 25 cents).

GOVERNMENT MAY RECLAIM WOMEN

Plan of Reform Advanced by Investigator of Conditions.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Stanley O. Finch, who has been in charge of investigations instituted by the Department of Justice in enforcing the white slave law, now is in communication with a group of philanthropists formulating plans for a national movement to reclaim victims of the traffic. Finch has returned from New York, where he consulted some of the leaders in the proposed philanthropy, and although he declined to discuss the details of the plan, he said no embarrassment for funds was expected. It is understood John D. Rockefeller Jr. is one of the principal financial supporters of the undertaking.

While men who are convicted under the law receive adequate punishment, the problem of caring for their victims from the first has been the hardest one with which to cope. It is the plan to expend the income from a large permanent fund which will amount to several millions in maintaining rescue homes in which girls who are reclaimed from the underworld may be given care and instruction necessary for a new start in life.

The canvass, which special investigators of the Department of Justice have been making of women who were leading vicious lives will be continued and it is expected that the department will have a detailed history of the inmates of segregated districts throughout the country. The project for the reclamation of all these women aims at establishing a sufficient number of homes, perhaps more than 2000 in all parts of the country so that definite help may be offered to every woman who will consent to give up a vicious life.

WOULDN'T PAY 35 CENTS FOR COFFEE

Governor-Elect Dunne of Illinois Flees Restaurant of High Prices.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Governor-elect Dunne of Illinois thinks that 35 cents a cup is too much to pay for coffee.

The governor-elect and Colonel James Hamilton Lewis, Democratic candidate for senator, returned from Springfield yesterday morning and entered a fashionable downtown hotel for breakfast. Dunne reached to order the meal when his eye reached the item: "Coffee 35 cents a cup" on the menu.

The governor-elect arose from the table and asked for his hat and coat. "Where are you going?" inquired Colonel Lewis.

"Going where I can get coffee for 10 cents," replied Dunne. "Thirty-five cents is too much for anyone to pay for coffee."

VICE CRUSADE CAUSE OF TOWN GOING "BROKE"

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—West Hammond is bankrupt. The municipal council has "discharged" City Treasurer August Kamradt because the treasury was empty and he refused to increase his bond.

Miss Virginia Brooks' crusade to clean the city emptied the treasury through loss of saloon revenues and payment of special prosecutors' fees and special police salaries. It is claimed. It is estimated that the crusade cost \$10,000.

The city council also "discharged" Alderman John Slavin, who has been absent five meetings. Slavin says the salary of \$150 a meeting is not enough. He refused to serve.

Tax payers wrote to the council saying that Kamradt's bond was insufficient because some of his sureties were unable to stand the amount which they had signed.

COMMITTEES NAMED TO PERFECT ORGANIZATION

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—President William C. Ralston of the California Miners' Association has appointed the following permanent committees for the work of that organization:

Legislation—E. C. Voorhees, C. H. Dutton, W. H. Baker, Charles M. Belshaw, John T. Farrell, E. B. Braden, F. W. Bradley, Frank R. Wehe, E. C. Hutchinson, N. Cleveland, H. Foster Bain, Harold T. Power.

Executive—E. M. Newcomb, C. M. Belshaw, D. C. Voorhees, Ed H. Benham, Louis Rosenfeld, N. Cleveland.

On California Debris Commission—W. W. Waggoner, A. A. Trojano, L. T. Power, Russell L. Dunn, W. F. Englebright.

PLANS AEROPLANE HUNT IN ARCTIC REGIONS

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Captain Robert A. Bartlett of the steamship Roosevelt, in which Commander Peary went on his successful search for the North Pole, will begin the study of aviation in the spring with the naval idea of flying Arctic shooting parties in airships over the fields of the polar regions, where they will shoot big game.

Piano Bargains That Are Genuine Money-Savers

If you ever expect to win a Piano, this is your opportunity.

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Four extraordinary big specials in high grade standard Pianos.

Brewster Player-Piano, 88-note, mahogany; regular \$600—SPECIAL \$425
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We took the following list of Pianos in trade for new ones. Every one is in fine shape and will carry with it our absolute guarantee:

Gilbert, mahog \$198
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Schumer, mahog ... \$185
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FAIR ALASKAN IS A VISITOR HERE

Miss L. S. Walton, Belle of North, Making Trip on Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Miss L. S. Walton, who has made her home in Alaska for 17 years, and widely known in the Far North as a most during "musher," is a guest at the Palace. She is here on her way to New York and London, departing tomorrow. Yesterday afternoon she consulted with Attorney Frank Drew about some gold claims she has on the third level line at Nome with the mining millionaire, Lenderberg, of this city as her partner.

Miss Walton speaks in great praise of the ledge and placer tin mines north of Nome that are being developed by a half dozen companies. She is a stockholder in one of them, the Tacoma Tin Smelter and Hydraulic Company. It owns 218 acres of tin-producing land and has an option on 35 miles more of the same kind of land. Platinium, which is worth \$45 a ounce, is also being discovered in the territory, she says.

Miss Walton owns a number of fast sled dogs of the Lively setter breed. One of them, called Bertinaki, was poisoned shortly after she had refused to sell him for \$1000. For freight hauling purposes she uses St. Bernard dogs.

CHURCH'S INCOME HUGE FOR TIME

Bishop Raises Six Thousand Dollars in Less Than One Hour.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—The fabled \$25-a-minute income of John D. Rockefeller was outdone and put to flight by the Huntington Park Methodist Church yesterday, when for sixty minutes it enjoyed an income approximately four times that of the oil king in his best days. In one hour by the clock Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes raised practically \$6000 from the day congregation, the sum needed to put up a tidy warren on lot to be purchased next the church, together with some needed additions to the latter.

Bishop Hughes accomplished his task by dividing the sum needed into \$10 shares and offering them for sale in the approved manner of a stockbroker. He was the pastor of the church, Rev. J. E. Hall, as his clerk. The instant the sale was announced, the church became a bedlam of voices, eager to get in on the ground floor. For the first ten minutes the average maintained was nearer \$500 than \$100 a minute, and the interest was sustained throughout the time available for the collection.

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END OF STRIKE IS URGED BY SULZER

Governor Orders Public Service Commission to Take Hand.

YONKERS, N. Y., Jan. 13.—With its 90,000 inhabitants inconvenienced for the past week by a complete tie-up of trolley car service, Yonkers saw a ray of hope today in an order from Governor Sulzer that the public service commission take the reins in the situation. It is declared that the commission has power to impose a fine of \$5000 a day in case a corporation fails to obey its orders, and if such a procedure were taken it would be the first time this authority has been applied in a strike.

The street car men quit because one non-union man had been employed—"in violation" as Governor Sulzer declared in his order. "If what is considered to be a proper policy," President Whitridge of the company said today that he seemed to be between two fires, for while the commission threatened a fine of \$5000 a day if he did not run the cars, he was also liable to a fine of \$50 for every strike-breaker brought into the city, according to a local ordinance.

Chamberlain's Tablets for Constipation

For constipation, Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent. Easy to take, mild and gentle in effect. Give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

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Report on the Blind Home.

The report on the Adult Blind Home, made by Miss Peixotto, Rabbi Meyer and Father Ramm, will not pleasantly impress the people. They find all of the charges made against the institution unfounded, except that relating to wages paid the working inmates. The report finds the workshops of the Home to be paying a profit. As the success of the shops is the sole test of the ability of the management, commendation of Mr. Sanders, the superintendent, should naturally follow. Unless the shops can be kept open and made self-sustaining the road to the contentment and happiness of the blind is closed, since work is the sole diversion of their minds from the sorrows of their infirmity. But instead of commending Mr. Sanders, the report demands his dismissal from his position, and that after twenty-five years as head of the institution he be degraded and put at hard labor in the shops! The investigators seem to think that Mr. Sanders is a chattel of the State, a mere peg, that they can fit into any hole they choose to bore, and this after they admit that he has brought the institution to the highest state of efficiency!

Three men, full-sighted, served in turn in the superintendency, and none of them accomplished what Mr. Sanders has done. Instead of ordering him degraded, the State of California should take special pride in him and his work.

In their action Miss Peixotto, Rabbi Meyer and Father Ramm seem to have accomplished the purpose for which a few plotters brought charges which the report finds were not sustained.

This action is likely to revolt the taxpayers who like to see the important part of one State institution paying its way, and they will fall a wondering what is behind a report so self-contradictory and inconsistent.

A Futile Protest to a Futile Proposition.

It is a fiction that the Central Pacific is owned by Californians and controlled by interests identified with this State. It is likewise a fiction that free competition will be restored by separating the Central Pacific from the Southern Pacific system and making it a link in a nominally competitive transcontinental line. As the Interstate Commerce Commission in reality fixes the rates of through transportation, real competition no longer exists—it is impossible. There is a sort of competition for business and the quality and character of service rendered, but the rates of through transportation are fixed and ironclad.

We have had alien landlordism in our transportation system ever since the death of C. P. Huntington. When the Southern Pacific and the Central Pacific were actually owned and controlled by Californians who built them, the owners were the objects of ceaseless attacks. The attacks have not ceased since the builders of those roads have passed away and the roads themselves have passed under eastern control. A political war is still being waged against men who are dead and an ownership that has long since departed.

The outcry against an impending alien ownership of the Central Pacific is futile and pointless, for the simple reason that the Central Pacific is now and has been for more than a decade under alien control. The Union Pacific now controls the Southern Pacific as well as the Central Pacific. They are all parts of one system. Dislocating the system, as proposed, merely makes the original Southern Pacific independent of the Union Pacific, nominally, at least. There will be no more competition than there is at present. It is not worth while to discuss the bugbear of "alien landlordism," since it exists at present and will continue to exist under any new arrangement that may be made.

As long as C. P. Huntington was alive the Southern and Central Pacific systems, which he consolidated, were run independently of eastern combinations. Although the Central Pacific was the Union Pacific's California connection, Huntington brought the Union to a condition of bankruptcy by the fierce competition he maintained with the Southern Pacific. His motives were bitterly assailed, but he really competed. Competition is war, and Huntington carried it to its logical extreme.

After Huntington's death the Southern Pacific system (the Central Pacific included) passed into the hands of the Speyer syndicate composed of New York men. E. H. Harriman, who had gained control of the Union Pacific, bought out the Speyer interests and brought the Southern Pacific under the domination of the Union Pacific.

Attorney-General Wickersham's effort to restore competition in transcontinental railway traffic is futile. Nevertheless the cry of "alien landlordism" is ludicrously empty of meaning. It is crying for protection from the wolf when we are already in the jaws of the wolf.

Unwise and Oppressive Legislation.

The necessity for protecting the public against impure foods and imposition of every kind is admitted, but regulation may go to such an unreasonable extent as to stifle production and enormously increase the cost of certain necessities of life, such as milk and butter and fresh meats, for instance. No inconsiderable percentage of the increase in the cost of living must be charged to regulation of one kind or another.

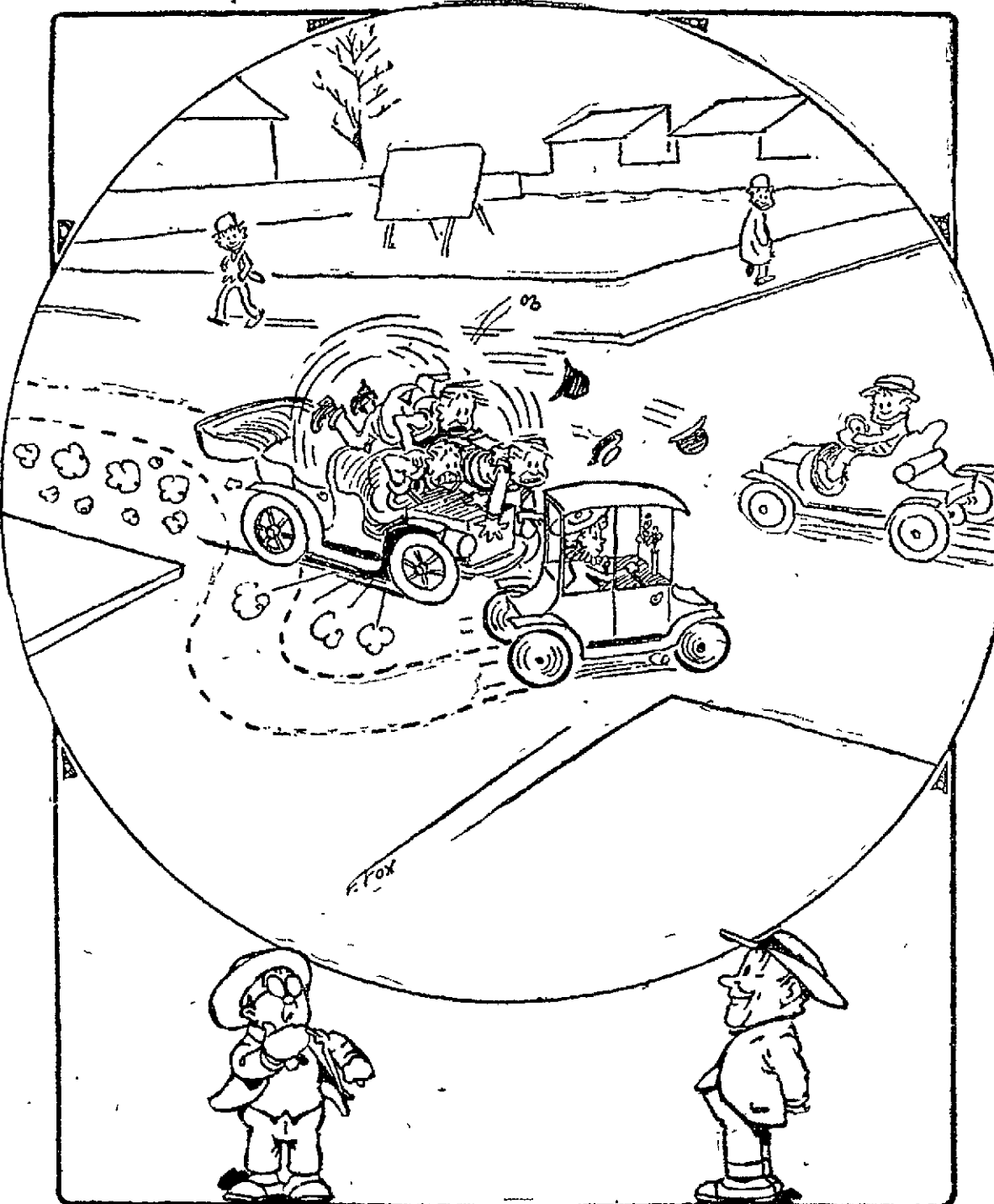
When regulation is left to theorists it becomes the vehicle of experimentation, always costly and frequently oppressive. The original cost of production becomes secondary to the cost of handling and distribution. It furnishes opportunities for blackmail and graft that are often utilized, in which case regulation becomes a criminal farce. Cleanliness in dairies is, of course, to be desired, and reasonable precautions must be enforced to prevent the contamination of milk.

But it must be borne in mind that it is the consumer who pays the bill. Every additional expense forced on the dairyman and the milkman is added to the cost of milk and butter. Every new regulation increases the cost of living, and is therefore a tax on consumption.

Hence regulation should be within reasonable and practical limits. Ideal purity is impracticable, and efforts to secure it are oppressive alike to the producer and consumer. A cumbersome and expensive system to guard against remote contingencies is likely to do more harm than good. Such systems are often devised by persons without practical experience guided by theory alone.

Spending a dollar to provide a penny's worth of protection (which the expenditure often fails to provide) is not wise regulation, since it inflicts hardship on people of limited incomes with-

SHE HAS THE RIGHT TO CHANGE HER MIND



—CHICAGO POST.

out returning any adequate compensating benefit. The machinery of paternalism becomes so intricate and expensive as to harass the producer and over-tax the householder.

Regulation is desirable and necessary, but its objects should be to secure tangible beneficial results and it should proceed along efficient and economical lines, else it may prove more dangerous than the abuses it aims to correct.

Prohibition and the Drug Habit.

Professor Hueppe, a German scientist, says that "unwise prohibition" is responsible for the spread and increase of the opium habit in the United States. Prohibitionists will doubtless contradict his statement, but it is supported by phenomena which cannot be denied. For instance, an enormous increase in the sale of dope compounds at the drug stores has invariably followed the suppression of the liquor traffic.

The market is flooded with alleged patent medicine cures having either alcohol, cocaine or opium for their base. In many communities the drug habit is infinitely worse than the whisky habit ever was, for it has spread where the whisky habit was never known—among women and even children. Go to any "dry" town and you will see people of all ages, sexes and conditions drinking sweetish compounds heavily charged with deleterious drugs.

The heaviest sale for "dope" patent medicines is in prohibition territory, people buying this wretched stuff for the stimulants they contain. Sad to relate, many religious and prohibition journals print flaming advertisements of the most injurious compounds known to the drug trade, thus giving, by inference, an endorsement to the most pernicious of habits. Chloral, cocaine and opium are the drugs most commonly used, but many of the patent medicines in popular use in prohibition territory contain a large percentage of alcohol—the alcohol being, of course, the cheapest and vilest stuff on the market.

We have before us (printed in a prominent religious journal) the advertisement of a so-called medical compound which carries more than three times the percentage of alcohol that lager beer contains—nearly twice as much as ordinary table wine carries. A part of the advertisement is a testimonial from a clergyman somewhat noted as a temperance lecturer. Perhaps he was deceived—let us hope so—but he was recommending for indiscriminate use a drunk-making compound infinitely worse than whisky.

Possibly the German scientist had these things in mind when he declared prohibition laws are responsible for the increase of the drug habit.

"ELECTRICITY AS FOOD"

France is denounced by one of our physicians as "the worst offender in fabricating statements regarding cures." That is a hard saying, but since it seems to be founded chiefly upon the picturesque interpretations of romantic head-line composers on this side of the Atlantic France may justly invite us to share the responsibility.

The occasion of the hasty condemnation was a remark attributed by implication to a doctor of Bordeaux, who has been experimenting with high frequency currents in the treatment of malnutrition. It is not alleged that he ever committed himself to the ridiculous statement that "an electric current of 1,000 volts is equal in food value to a porterhouse steak"; we are only told that that is his opinion, which probably means that what he said amounts in the opinion of the Paris correspondent to the same thing.

What he did say was that an old nourished patient who came to him weighing 107 pounds was subjected to the stimulating and eliminative effects of high frequency currents and after a period of ten days he weighed 120 pounds and showed a manifest gain in health and strength. Formerly he ate large quantities of meat, but because of the nutritional disorder it did him no good; now he can get along with much less because, thanks to his improved condition, he is able to make use of what he eats. That is about all we know of the matter except that the doctor is said to have added that "the moment is not distant when all troubles of malnutrition will be cured electrically."

Twenty Years Ago Today

Paul Whistler, a messenger boy, and Charles F. Weldstein were before Judge Ogden this morning for riding their bicycles after dark without a light. Both had excuses and were allowed to go without a fine.

The prohibitionists held their convention in Hamilton Hall last night. The attendance was small but the audience was enthusiastic.

The canvassing committee of the Holmes Library Association at Berkeley reported to the directors that \$1250 had been secured with the business portion of the town yet to be covered.

A Ladies' Relief Society has been formed by the charitably inclined of West Berkeley with a number of gentlemen admitted as advisors. The officers are: President, Mrs. Schuster; vice-president, Mrs. Bluet; secretary, Miss Kate Teague, and treasurer, Mrs. Chris Johnson.

A memorial resolution was passed by the city council in honor of E. W. Playter. It was signed by J. W. Nelson, Dr. George C. Pardee and George H. Garthorne.

The Federation of Labor has secured Shell Mound Park for Labor Day, where it will hold a grand picnic. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, John Gelder; vice-president, W. H. Jones; secretary, A. W. Smith; treasurer, E. Jones; statistical secretary, E. Hough, and Sergeant-at-arms, J. Gruger.

With bills constantly being introduced it begins to look as though the sixty day session of the Legislature at Sacramento was not going to be nearly long enough to complete the work planned. The Senate committee decided to report favorably on Alford's amendment exempting non-bearing fruit trees and vines from taxation.

The fact that James G. Blaine is still alive and well is puzzling his attending physicians, who state that he is exhibiting remarkable vitality.

WITTY BITS

One-half of the world would never know how the other half lives if it were not for divorce suits.

Governor Wilson was at some pains to explain that although he was born in Virginia, he was incorporated in New Jersey.

It will be noted that the fair passengers on the "widows' ship" pulled off their cruise with those 57 poor bachelors during leap year.

It's a curious thing that the Great White Way is the stamping ground of a whole lot of people who are trying to keep something dark.

A parrot held as the sole witness to a murder in Denver has so far refused to say anything. It is probably acting on the advice of counsel.

Governor Wilson may obliterate sectional lines, but he will never be able to prevent the Yankees from applauding every time the band plays "Dixie."

After reading the peace dispatches from the scene of war in London we are inclined to believe that there are some Montenegros in the woodpile.

"It is not appropriate to dance the turkey trot in statutory hall of the Capital," declares the New York World. Still some of the best statues there are doing it now.

According to a London cablegram the famous chorus girl with the Chippendale legs has kicked her way into the British nobility.

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Monday Tuesday Wednesday
Fancy Cold Storage Eggs, 20c Per Dozen

TEA All 50c grades 1b. 40c	S. & D. CURRY POWDER 2 oz. 15c 4 oz. 30c
PASHA COFFEE Excellent blend 1b. 32 1/2c	C. & B. PRESERVED GINGER In jars 30c
EXCELLENT BAKING POWDER Pure, 3 cans, \$1.00 1b. 35c	EASTERN BONE CODFISH Two pounds 35c
FINE QUALITY SARDINES Boneless 1/2 lb can 20c	SMOKED BLOATERS Eastern, new doz. 40c
EL PRIMERO ASPARAGUS Green, doz., \$2.60 can 22 1/2c	LIMERICK HAMS, BACONS AND SAUSAGES A Direct Shipment
CALIFORNIA PRUNES In jars No. 3 jar 60c	BUCKWHEAT Klinger's eastern 9 lb. sk. 65c
CASTLE SOAP Imported Virgin Brand, large bar, reg. 60c 50c	PURE MAPLE SAP SYRUP Quart can, 55c 1/2 gal. can 95c
CARR CRACKERS CARLSLE Cakes Being demonstrated; come in and try them; fine with tea, 3 for 50c pkg. 20c	WHITE PEPPER 1/2 lb. 25c 1 lb. 45c
	BLACK PEPPER 1/2 lb. 20c 1 lb. 40c

SPECIALS: HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT

Metal polishing cloths, reg. 25c 15c	Clay Toasters for gas stoves; prevent burning or scorching 15c
Earthen egg plates; 7 inch diameter; reg. 80c 20c	Earthen bowls; 10 inches; brown outside, white inside; reg. 65c 45c
Sponges for toilet or household use 20 Per Cent Discount	

TASSO BRAND OLYMPIC CIGARS, boxes of 50 \$11.00 per 100	OLD CROW BOURBON AND HERMITAGE RYE WHISKEY (1000) gal. \$5.50
Bot. \$1.35 gal. \$5.50	IMPERIAL COCKTAILS Choice of 6 varieties bot. \$1.00
APPEL or PEACH BRANDY For hot toddies bot. \$1.15	EXTRA V. V. CLARET Doz. bots., \$3.75 doz. 1/2 bots. \$2.50
Gallon 85c	GOLDEN RIESLING Doz. bots., \$3.25 gal. 85c
Doz. bots., \$3.25 gal. 85c	ROCK AND RYE For coughs and colds bot. \$1.00
Superior JAMAICA RUM Bottle \$1.00	CALIFORNIA BRANDY Private stock bot. \$1.35
Elephant BRAND KUMMEL Excellent cordial bot. \$1.10	D. C. L. GIN Old Tom and Dry bot. 85c
IRISH WHISKEY 3-star Killicroy bot. \$1.35	

HOT AIR FROM THE FROZEN BELT

The OAKLAND TRIBUNE is one of the largest and most powerful newspapers on the Pacific Coast. It's the paper that made Oakland famous. But, in its loyalty to Oakland and central California, THE TRIBUNE sometimes gets a little too enthusiastic. For instance, THE TRIBUNE, in an editorial discussion of the freeze, holds that "orange growing appears to be a safer business north of the Tehachapi than it is south of that divide." THE TRIBUNE claims that the oranges in central and northern California ripen earlier than do those in the south, hence an insurance against damage to fruit by frost. The News cannot blame THE TRIBUNE for boosting a bit for its section north of the Tehachapi, but this paper certainly does object to the statement that "orange growing appears to be a safer business north of the Tehachapi." Southern California is the best and greatest orange growing section in the world, we claim it, others admit it, figures prove it. Just because we are having a bit of bad weather this year is no reason why the orange industry should be moved to the other side of the divide where, by the way, this cold spell came from. Year after year the orange and lemon output of the south has been increased with seldom a cold spell to lower profits. The south is going to survive its present misfortune; the citrus industry is to continue increasing and southern California is to continue to lead the world in citrus fruits output. Let THE TRIBUNE boost for its section; we will continue to have the biggest and best groves here, thank you!—San Bernardino News.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A Chicago man has invented a pie knife that can't be put in the mouth. There'll be no market for it in Chicago.

The best way for Carrie Catt to bring about dress reform is not to advocate a particular style, but to knock it.

J. P. Morgan, it is announced, owns the original manuscript of Dickens' "A Christmas Carol." Shades of the late Mr. Scrooge!

If Andy Carnegie can't be happy without pensioning former presidents, there are Port Dix and Cip Castro on the eligible list.

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How can the American modistes hope to invent native style when the only article of feminine wearing apparel indigenous to our soil is the Mother Hubbard wrapper?

Fifty red-haired girls acted as sponsors at the launching of a steamboat at Philadelphia. This demonstration of its fire-proof qualities should reassure the traveling public.

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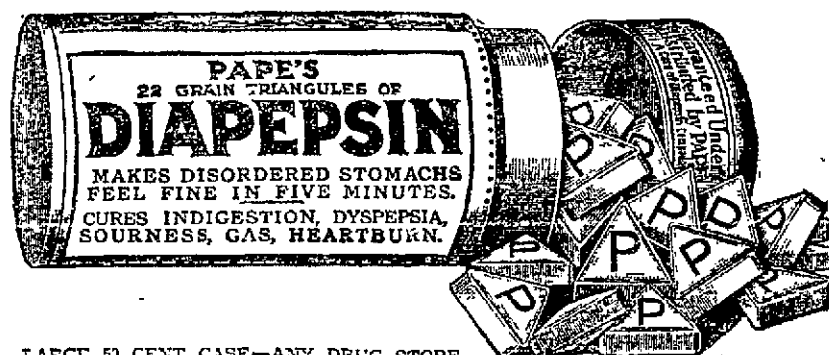
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JUDAEN JUNIORS TO GIVE SOCIAL

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The Judaeen Juniors, a young and prosperous organization of this city, will give their first grand open social this evening in the Judaeen clubrooms at 1232 Webster street. An elaborate program has been arranged and both literary and musical talent has been secured. Harry Scharr, the newly elected vice-president, will preside at the affair. Lloyd Abraham, of the organization, will sing and will be accompanied by Miss M. Abraham. Arthur Sicht, the well known violinist, will lead the Judaeen Juniors orchestra and also play a solo, accompanied by Miss Freda Davis. Louis Harris will speak on the aims and objects of the organization. Rev. Hattfelder of the Beth Jacob Congregation will also deliver an address.

MINISTER DIES
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.—Rev. John W. Sawyer, a widely known Methodist Episcopal minister died last night after a lingering illness. He was 71 years old, a veteran of the Civil War and prominent in state and national encampments of the Grand Army of the Republic.

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HEARING IN OIL SUIT IS STARTED

Land Valued at \$15,000,000 Involved in Government Action.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—The local hearing in the suit brought by the United States government against the Southern Pacific Company to recover all lands in the Elk Hills district, commenced today before Commissioner Lee Longley. William N. Mills of Washington, D. C., special assistant attorney general in charge for the government, and G. R. Lewers is chief counsel for the railroad.

The suit was brought in December, 1910, and involves 6100 acres of land near McKittrick, Kern county, and is valued at \$15,000,000. The government contends that the lands were acquired by the corporation by fraudulent affidavit that the soil was non-mineral in character. Since the federal grant was made, rich oil deposits were found in the Elk Hills.

HOUSEWIFE DEGREE URGED BY DIVINE

Bishop J. H. Vincent Suggests "Artist Domestic" and "Artist of Home Life."

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Bishop John H. Vincent in a sermon here last night said that faithful housewives should be considered upon them the A. D. and A. H. meaning respectively "Artist Domestic" and "Artist of Home Life."

The speaker said the housewife's many duties and her indispensable influence upon the lives of her children, the speaker said, should be recognized. "She is an artist," he said, "in her sphere, an artist of genius. If she has servants, she should not let them serve her, but she should let them be her servants. If they make mistakes, she should show them how things should be done. To her they are not an inferior class, but she is a house mother," he said. "She is an artist in her sphere, an artist of genius. If she has servants, she should not let them serve her, but she should let them be her servants. If they make mistakes, she should show them how things should be done. To her they are not an inferior class, but she is a house mother," he said.

Warrant Issued For Dr. Frazer

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Police Judge Shortall today issued a warrant for the arrest of Dr. W. W. Frazer of Weaverville for swearing to a false birth certificate in behalf of Mrs. Charles Henry Raymond Slingby, whose baby, it is claimed, died, and who feared to face her husband, Lieutenant Charles H. Slingby, without an heir.

The warrant was sworn out by Secretary Coffey of the State Board of Health and bonds were fixed at \$2000, or \$1000 cash. The allegation of a public document, punishable by imprisonment for five years, is the specific accusation.

JUDGE FORFEITS HENDRICKS' BAIL

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Police Judge Shortall forfeited the bail of Albert Hendricks, charged with an attempted felonious assault, who fled from the city following his arrest. The amount of \$1000 put up by Hendricks, an automobile manufacturer, was accused by Marie Bruhn and Esther Minter of having inveigled them into an automobile and attempted an assault. Judge Shortall fixed the bail at \$2000 and ordered Hendricks' reduction of it to \$1000 has led to a recall petition being circulated against him.

In the same case a felony warrant was obtained today against James Charles Gladys, who, it is alleged, endeavored to influence one of the complainants against appearing in court. Gladys had already been arrested on a misdemeanor charge.

CALIFORNIANS NAMED TO AID IN RECEPTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Prominent San Franciscans and other Californians were yesterday appointed members of the reception committee of the general convention that will have charge of the inauguration of President Wilson.

M. H. de Young, Representative William Theodore A. Bell and Randolph V. Whiting are the San Franciscans named. Other Californians named are Representative Baker, William B. Cameron and Edward Chapman of Los Angeles; J. O. Davis of Berkeley and J. K. Keefe of Sacramento.

TAXI AND WAGON MEET

In a collision between a taxicab driven by E. J. Conner and a United States mail wagon driven by G. E. West, which occurred about three o'clock this morning at Ninth and Broadway, the front of the taxicab was smashed in and the driver, Conner, was seriously injured. Conner nor West sustained serious injury.

SERGEANT SEEKS SALOON LICENSE

William Brackett Resigns His Place on Oakland Police Force.

Storm broke in the city council this morning when application was made by William B. Brackett, sergeant in the Oakland police department, for a license to conduct a saloon. This is a disgrace to the department, said Commissioner of Public Health and Safety, J. C. Turner. "I will not stand for it. The idea of a policeman applying for a saloon license is a most extraordinary perversion of right and justice and the decent conduct of this department. Let Brackett resign, and we may consider his license. But a man cannot be both a policeman and a saloonkeeper."

Later, Brackett's resignation, to go into effect April 1, was received. The application was made by Brackett and George J. Croft for a liquor license for a bar at successors to Michael Shea, the bar to be placed in a hotel to be erected at Sixteenth and Wood streets. "The hotel will be an improvement to the neighborhood," said Phil Walsh, attorney for Brackett and Croft.

It was decided that the matter should be laid over till tomorrow morning to give Brackett a chance to resign as sergeant of police or to withdraw his application for a saloon license.

Brackett was appointed sergeant by the old board of public works just prior to the going into effect of the new city charter. His appointment did not come within the charter regulation, and he is a member of the police department. He should have been forced to take civil service examinations to hold the position. The new regulation was passed by the civil service board exempting from the necessity of new examinations all those holding positions in the police department. Brackett, Sergeant Frank Hill was appointed at the same time.

TRAIN WRECKED; ENGINEER DIES

Special Trip of Supervisors Ends Disastrously Near Sobrante.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 13.—A special train bearing the supervisors of the county, San Diego, to arrange for exhibits at the exposition left the track one mile north of Sorrento yesterday afternoon. The train, which was led by a Pullman, was wrecked, and the engineer, William A. T. Moler and brakeman S. S. Smith were injured. All lived in San Diego. Moler's condition is critical. Smith is seriously injured.

General J. G. Martine, formerly of the California militia, was thrown to the floor of the car in which he was riding and was unable to assist himself. Other passengers escaped with a shaking-up.

INDICTMENTS VOID. OFFICIALS CLAIM

Grand Juror, Who Heard New Haven R. R. Case, Not Resident, Allegation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Counsel for Charles S. Mellen, president of the New Haven Railroad, filed a plea of abatement in the United States Court today, asserting that the recent indictments against Mellen, President E. J. Chamberlain and Alfred Smithers, chairman of the Grand Jurors, were void, because one of the grand jurors, Alfred A. Stephens, was a resident of New Jersey.

Messrs. Mellen, Chamberlain and Smithers were indicted on charges of violation of the criminal clause of the Sherman anti-trust law for participation in an alleged monopoly agreement between the two roads.

TO BEAR NOTICE OF ARIZONA'S VOTE

PHOENIX, Arizona, Jan. 13.—By voting for himself and against Mrs. Eugene Brady O'Neill, the Arizona suffrage leader, Presidential Elector Wilfred T. Webb won for himself today the right to carry the United States official notice of the states' vote in favor of Woodrow Wilson.

The three electors met here today, and formally cast their votes for Wilson. When the question of who should be the official messenger to Washington arose, Wiley Jones nominated Mrs. O'Neill, and wife of a defeated aspirant for a United States Senatorial nomination last year. Webb voted for himself and obtained the support of the other two electors.

FUNERAL TO BE HELD FOR BERKELEY WOMAN

BERKELEY, Jan. 13.—Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon for Mrs. Laura Dingley, widow of William Dingley, whose death occurred yesterday afternoon. The services will be conducted at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Dingley, 1917 Grove street. Rev. Charles B. Dalton, pastor of Trinity Church, will conduct the obsequies. Mrs. Dingley was 57 years old and had lived in California since 1904. She was a member of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce, and of Frank B. Heywood, a member of the Board of Education. She had been ill since Christmas day.

GOES HOME LONG WAY ROUND

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Noah Payne of 2810 Howard street now believes that "the longest way round is the shortest way home." Heretofore he has been an enthusiast about "short cuts." His home has a back entrance on Cypress alley, and at a late hour last night he decided that it was shorter to enter that way than to go around by Howard street. As he was opening his rear gate a robber accosted him, seized his watch, valued at \$52 and escaped.

ROBBED AT CORNER

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—The corner of Sutter and Montgomery streets, the heart of the commercial section of the city, was picked out by two highwaymen for the scene of their operations this morning and at 3 a. m. they held up Peter Van Dorn of 149 Sacramento street. One of them seized the driver's seat, while the second did the searching. They obtained \$1 and a watch.

VOTE TOMORROW CHAMBER'S ORDER

Friends of Oakland Urged to go to Polls and Support Anti-Annexationists.

All members of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce are urged to participate in tomorrow's annual election of officers. The polls will be open from 12:30 until 3 p. m. at the Chamber of Commerce, Thirteenth and Harrison streets, and it is desired that a large vote shall be registered. The men who have labored to preserve the civic integrity of this city are worried over the possibility that pro-annexationists might combine opposition to the Chamber of Commerce, and endeavor to elect one or two representatives who are not antagonistic to the scheme of a Greater San Francisco. The directors of the Chamber of Commerce say that they have nothing to fear if a large vote is recorded, but they foresee danger if the friends of Oakland do not heed the call to duty and vote in full strength.

SEVEN YOUTHFUL COASTERS HURT

Two Bob-Sleds Run Into Street Cars, on Seattle Hills.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 13.—Seven persons were injured, three seriously, in two bob-sled accidents yesterday, when two sleds ran into street cars.

The first accident happened on the Woodland Park hill. A sled carrying five persons, traveling at high speed, after a three blocks' run down a steep hill, ran into the forward truck of a street car at Fifth avenue North and East Sixteenth streets.

All the occupants were thrown off except Lillian Poulsen, who became entangled in the sled and was struck by the rear truck.

She suffered an injury to her left foot that necessitated its amputation. Emily Burnett, 14 years old, who was in command of the sled, sustained a serious laceration of the brain and is in a serious condition.

Teresa Poulsen suffered a broken nose and cuts about the head and arms. David Olsen, 17 years old, and Allison Brown, 16 years old, escaped with a few minor cuts and bruises.

In the other accident, a sled carrying Morris Fiese, 13 years old, and Morris Angel, 12 years, ran into a car at Twelfth avenue South and Main street. Both escaped serious injury.

LIQUOR QUESTION WORRIES SOUTH

Thirty Proposed Charter Amendments Voted on in Los Angeles.

LONG BEACH, Cal., Jan. 13.—The question of allowing hotels of 200 rooms to serve liquor to their guests between 12 o'clock noon and 3 p. m. and from 8 to 9 p. m., is just one of thirty proposed city and county amendments, which are being voted upon here today.

Interest in the other amendments, however, has been subordinated to the liquor problem, which has been the subject of an acrimonious campaign. Long Beach has but one hotel which comes within the provisions of the proposed amendment and strenuous efforts have been made from time to time to prevent it from selling liquor to its guests.

The clergy has conducted a vigorous campaign against the amendment, which is advocated by the Businessmen's Association. A heavy vote was indicated by the early morning balloting.

MRS. ISABEL JOHNSON GUEST AT FRUITVALE

FRUITVALE, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Isabel Johnson, first president of the Fruitvale Aerio Club, was the guest Saturday afternoon at a tea given in her honor by the members of the club. A large number of her friends were present, including members of the Laurel Club, Mrs. Camilla Eversmeyer, rendered several songs, accompanied by Miss Knowland of Alameda, and Mrs. McKerricher gave two charming recitations.

The Aerio Club is to hold its regular meeting Wednesday, January 15, in Fruitvale school No. 1. The Rev. William Day Strong, of the United Methodist church, will address the club on "Making Men Good by Law."

UTAH'S REPUBLICAN ELECTORS CAST VOTES

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 13.—Utah's four Republican presidential electors met today and cast their votes for President Taft for president, and Nicholas Murray Butler of New York for vice-president.

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HOUSEWARMING TO CALL OUT CROWD

Special Tables to be Reserved for Civic Organizations at Big Affair.

It has been decided by the committee in charge of the Oakland commercial housewarming banquet that the various large civic organizations shall have the privilege of sending out invitations to their own members for special tables, the details of seating being attended to by the central committee of housewarmers. At a meeting of the committee on general arrangements held yesterday at the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, Chairman C. J. Heeseman reported that already a number of requests for reservations had been made by mail and telephone to Secretary George Mason and that every indication pointed to the seating capacity of the ballroom in the Hotel Oakland, where the banquet will be held, being taxed to its limit of 510.

The Merchant's Exchange, Ad Men's club, Oakland Real Estate association, Rotary club, manufacturers' committee and committee on progress and prosperity will all have special tables reserved for their own members and friends for which seats are now being numbered and to which assignments will be made in order as they are received by the arrangements committee.

A suggestion for the christening of "housewarming row" at which the financiers of the city will be placed has also been made, and a question has already arisen as to whether the standard of "housewarming row" should be applied to maintain the standard of this particular mahogany.

The committee on arrangements urges the immediate application for seating accommodations by organizations and individuals so that no confusion may arise at the last minute through the over-sell of plates. Communications should be addressed to George Mason, Oakland Chamber of Commerce, in case he hands the details of the banquet have been placed.

A. P. NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEETS

Incumbents Named for Five Directorships Expiring This Year.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The nominating committee of the Associated Press met in Washington today. Thomas Ross, Springfield, Illinois, State Register, chairman; Oswald G. Villard, New York Evening Post, acting secretary.

The committee nominated for the five directorships expiring in 1913, the following: Charles H. Clark, Boston Courier; Chas. A. Foot, Pittsburg Dispatch; Clark Howell, Atlanta Constitution; Charles W. Knapp, St. Louis Republic; V. S. McClatchy, Sacramento Bee, and the following five additional candidates:

Rosecrans Pillsbury, Manchester, N. H. Union; Bruce Haldeman, Louisville Courier-Journal; W. T. Morgan, Hutchinson, Kansas, News; Josephus Daniels, Raleigh, N. C. News and Observer; and Isaac N. Stevens, Pueblo, Colo., Chetlain.

To fill the vacancy on the board: Samuel D. Spaulding, Republic, New Bedford, Mass.; Standard, were nominated.

HOLD FUNERAL OF MRS. L. PUMYEA

Decedent Wife of Former Chief of Police; Was Pioneer.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Lorain Pumyea, who died last Saturday, was held this afternoon from the family residence, 816 Alice street, where friends and relatives paid their last tribute. Rev. James Orr of the Myrtle Street Congregational church of this city, read the service.

For many years Peter Pumpey was active in the political circles of Alameda county and was former chief of police of this city. The couple came to Oakland in the early days.

The decedent is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Loosa, and five sisters, Mrs. Mary M. Reeves of Sacramento; Mrs. William J. Solis of Mrs. Elizabeth Peters, Mrs. John B. Price and Mrs. Cyrus B. Lark of this city.

The body was interred in Mountain View cemetery.

WOMEN'S CLUBS 'MOTHER' IS 93

Mme. Caroline M. Severance Celebrates in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Madame Caroline M. Severance, "mother of women's clubs," observed her ninety-third birthday yesterday, surrounded by members of her family. Her sons, James Seymour Severance of San Francisco and Mark Sibley Severance of San Bernardino, spent the day with her.

The New England Women's Club, the first organization of women in this country, was founded by Madame Severance in 1855, and as a direct result of her efforts as president of the club, the first suffrage law was enacted, permitting the election of women to the Boston school board. She has been a resident of Los Angeles for 37 years.

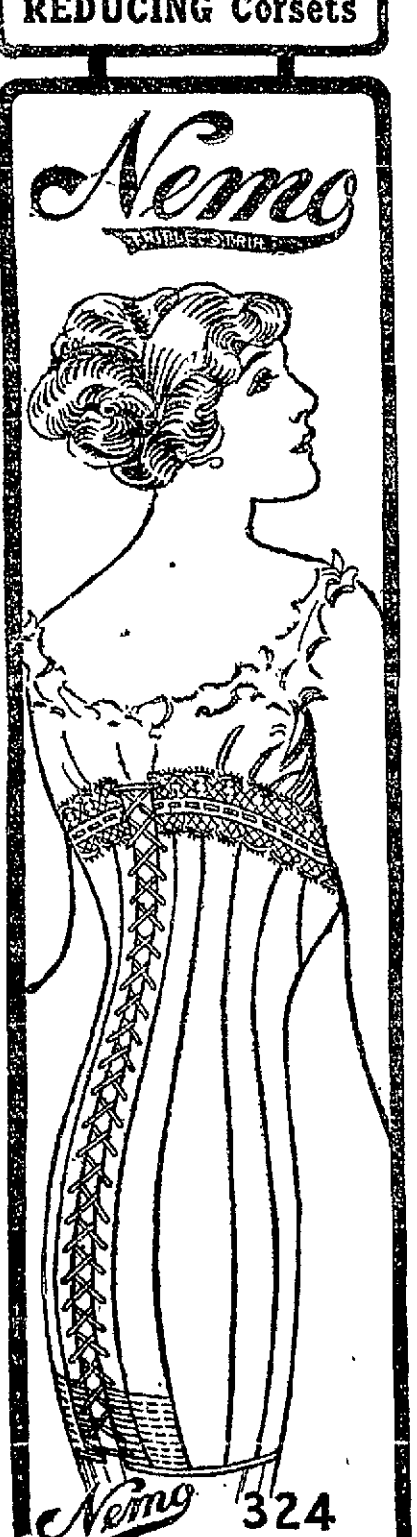
AUTOMOBILE CRASHES OVER BRIDGE INTO CREEK

SAN JOSE, Jan. 13.—Four men occupying an automobile belonging to R. F. Villar of 611 Mission street, San Francisco, crashed through the iron railing of the concrete bridge over Coyote Creek on the Milpitas road yesterday afternoon. All miraculously escaped injury.

After a trip to this city the party was on its way back to San Francisco via Oakland. The road makes a sharp turn to cross the bridge and the driver lost control of the steering gear. The car crashed into the railing and went through for its plunge to the dry bed of the stream twenty feet below. After ordering the removal of the wrecked car, local agents of the party proceeded to Oakland by train.

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—and go to a store that will sell you what you want.

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DIES IN ENGLAND. BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Jan. 13.—John Eyre Nelson of Battle Creek, nephew of Earl Nelson of British nobility, and a descendant of Admiral Lord Nelson, is dead in England, where he had gone to visit his parents. He was a descendant of the duke of Marlborough on his mother's side.

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HEART--TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN--HOME

Society

THE social season is upon us with full vigor and every day is full of affairs for society maids and matrons. Dances, weddings and teas tread on each other's heels until Lent comes to bring a slight relaxation of the gay pace. Among the important events of the week is Miss Priscilla Hall's tea for about one hundred and fifty of the smart set. She will be aided in receiving by her mother, Mrs. Samuel P. Hall; her sisters, Mrs. Anthony Cammell, Mrs. James E. Kenna and Miss Alice Hall; her sister-in-law, Mrs. Channing Hall, and a number of buds and belles of the society set.

FAMOUS ARTIST LEAVING US.

Miss Anna Klumpke, the charming little artist and close friend of the great Rosa Bonheur, will depart for her home in France today. She has spent several months in the bay cities as the guest of her father, J. G. Klumpke, and has enriched the meetings of the different women's clubs with several talks on her famous friend's life and work, besides being quite a lion at local society affairs. Her departure will be much regretted.

DONALDSON-BARBER WEDDING.

At a simple ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson E. Barber of Linden street, Miss Alice M. Barber became the bride of George Thaddeus Donaldson, Sunday afternoon, December 29. Rev. C. S. Lindsey read the service in the presence of a few relatives and chosen friends. The only attendants were Miss Lizzie Martinson as bridesmaid and M. Vail Barber, a brother of the bride, as groomsmen. The bride was charmingly gowned in a traveling suit of brown with hat to match. After the ceremony the couple left for Sacramento, where they will make their home.

LUNCHEON FOR POET'S SISTER.

Mrs. Lichen Miller, sister-in-law of Joaquin Miller, was the honored guest at a luncheon given Friday by Mrs. Mary E. Hart. Mrs. Miller, who has been visiting at "The Heights" for a time, is well known as a literary woman and was at one time one of the editors of the Pacific Monthly. Mrs. Robert Collier was also a hostess for Mrs. Miller, entertaining with a tea to which a number of friends were asked Saturday afternoon.

CONSUL-GENERAL GUEST OF HONOR.

Y. Nagashima, the manager for the Vitaphone Company's Exchange of San Francisco, was host at a reception at his home Friday night in honor of Consul-General and Madame Nagai of San Francisco and Mr. and Mrs. George Shima of Berkeley. Among those present were Mrs. L. H. Hagan, Mrs. W. H. Stiff, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Whitte, Miss Phyllis Kellenberger, Miss Lois Rupert, Robert Buttar, Scott Piggett, Mark Whitte Jr., Miss T. Shima.

BRIDE TO BE HOSTESS.

Mrs. Hunter Smith (Edith Gatchell), one of the season's brides who returned from her honeymoon recently, will be hostess to a coterie of her friends Tuesday afternoon at her apartments. The affair will inaugurate a series of small affairs at which Mrs. Smith plans to entertain.

WEDDING A SURPRISE TO FRIENDS.

Miss Gertrude Stambaugh, a popular Oakland girl, and Rav A. Goss, a young business man of East Oakland, surprised their friends by announcing their marriage recently.



MRS. H. L. HAGAN, A RECENT BRIDE WHO WAS FORMERLY MISS GENEVA WALKER MOWER.

riage recently. The young couple, who were married in San Francisco December 27, kept their interesting secret several weeks before the news leaked out. They will make their home in East Oakland.

COLLEGE GIRLS RETURN.

Sorority houses in the college town are filling fast with college maids returning from the holiday vacation. Among those who have resumed their studies is Miss Ray Watson, a member of the Delta Delta Delta, who has been staying with her parents in Vacaville. Miss Isabel Forker has also returned from a visit with relatives in Bakersfield.

TWO ENGAGED GIRLS HONORED.

Miss Laura Wylie, a bride-elect, was the guest of honor at a pretty shower given on Saturday at the home of Miss Emily Cockerton. Miss Marjorie Porter and Miss Margaret Boveraux were hostesses also. Miss Reba Wurtz shared the honors as an engaged girl with Miss Wylie, who is one of the season's most popular brides-elect. She has been the motif for many social affairs during her engagement days. Her marriage to Bernard Garrison will take place next Saturday.

It will be a simple ceremony at the home of the bride. Among those who were at the tea Saturday were: Miss Ruth Selzer, Miss Gladys Fisher, Miss Sara Yeatman, Miss Jane Yeatman, Miss Gertrude Burt, Miss Margery Fisher, Gladys Shaw, Irene O'Rourke, Margaret Meek, Genevieve Hatch, Pauline Chamberlain.

NORTHBRAE CLUB TO DANCE.

The first dance of the season will be given by the Northbrae Club next Wednesday evening in the Hillside clubhouse in North Berkeley. Several other dances during the winter will follow. About 200 cards have been sent to bid the guests to the first dance of the new club. The affair will be arranged to please those who do not dance as well as the devotees of Torpedos, as cards will be there for those who prefer them. Among those who will act as hostesses in the receiving line will be Mrs. Edwin Carlisle Williams, Mrs. John R. Oakley and Mrs. George Hoyt.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY.

A number of friends surprised B. W. Harris at his home recently in honor of his birthday. After a jolly evening a dainty lunch was served. Features of the evening were solos by Prof. and Mrs. Horace S. Dewsbury and recitations by the hostess, Mrs. Harris. Among those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Albert, Prof. and Mrs. H. S. Dewsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanders, Captain and Mrs. Edward Odland, Mrs. G. M. Harris, Mrs. Freeman.

MRS. POSEY A HOSTESS.

The members of a small bridge club which has met together for several seasons, will be entertained at a luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. C. Posey on Wednesday afternoon. In keeping with the spirit of the club it will be a delightfully informal affair. Mrs. Elizabeth D. Yorker is the president of the club. Among the guests will be Mrs. Elizabeth Yorker, Mrs. George M. Shaw, Mrs. George Coppe, Mrs. J. R. Scupham, Mrs. F. B. Ogden, Mrs. A. L. Adams, Mrs. Clapp, Mrs. J. W. McElroy, Mrs. A. R. Johnson, Mrs. Albert Brown, Mrs. Guy C. Earl.

SEATTLE GROCER IS SLAIN BY ROBBER

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 13.—Henry Wallace, 50 years old, died last night of injuries received when he was shot by a highway man who attempted to hold up his grocery store on Tenth Avenue Northeast late Saturday night. Wallace had been robbed two months ago, and when the highwayman commanded him to hold up his hands, the grocer jumped toward a counter on which a pistol was lying. The intruder shot Wallace in the abdomen and then fled without obtaining any loot.

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WOMEN IN THE NEWS

SHEPARD-GOULD WEDDING DATE IS FIXED

Heiress to Wed January 22; Ceremony to Take Place at Tarrytown.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—There has been much conjecture regarding the forthcoming marriage of Miss Helen Miller Gould and Finley J. Shepard, and a good many guesses have been made in regard to the wedding date which is really fixed for Wednesday, January 22, at 2:30 o'clock.

The ceremony will take place at Miss Gould's country place in Tarrytown, and will be witnessed by a small gathering of relatives and intimate friends, including some of her old neighbors in Tarrytown and Irvington.

Although the wedding will be as simple as possible, there will be an elaborate musical program by Naham Franko's orchestra of forty pieces. Some of the music was decided on yesterday by Shepard, who himself is an amateur musician.

The wedding music of Wagner's "Lohengrin" and from Mendelssohn's setting to a "Midsummer Night's Dream" has been selected, and there will be played in addition compositions of Handel, Wagner, Massenet, Schumann, Godard and Elgar, though the exact program has not yet been chosen.

The ceremony will be followed by a seated breakfast, but other details have yet to be settled.

Miss Gould's brother-in-law and sister, Duke and Duchess de Talleyrand and their young son, Prince de Sagan of Paris, are coming over for the wedding, having sailed Saturday on the Mauretania.

Members of the Railroad Young Men's Christian Association, sailing the North Atlantic squadron and soldiers at army posts throughout the country where Young Men's Christian Associations are planning to give Miss Gould wedding presents of a kind to express their great regard for one who has done so much to make their lives pleasant.

Actress Loses Barn

OSKINING, N. Y., Jan. 13.—A barn, including a library, bowling alley and garage, owned by Blanche Bates, the San Francisco actress, at Newcastles, three miles from here, was destroyed by fire early yesterday.

The library was expensively fitted up in rustic style and held a very valuable collection of books and bric-a-brac. It was in this room that the marriage of Miss Bates to George Creel took place.

When the fire was discovered the fire building was aflame. A chemical engine was sent from here, but when it arrived the building was in ruins. Miss Bates' automobile and one belonging to her chauffeur were destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$40,000.

Miss Bates is at present spending her honeymoon in Denver.

Rivals Classic Venus

LONDON, Jan. 13.—London claims that it has a woman nearer "the proportions of the Venus de Milo than Miss Seel of Brooklyn in Miss Marjorie Watson, a West End dressmaker's model, whose measurements are given by Ethel Seel, a well-known artist. Her measurements are: Height, 65.75 inches; head, 22.4; neck, 13. Chest, waist and hips, identical with the measurements of Venus de Milo; thigh, 22; calf, 13.4.

Miss Bailey, an admirer of Watson's, is perfect and needs no aid from art. She is a true type of English beauty. She has light brown hair and blue, laughing eyes.

Miss Watson says she has lived the ordinary life of other girls. She has never gone in for physical training, but rides a bicycle and swims.

Accused of Abduction

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 13.—Samuel Sinclair, supervising inspector of state highways, and R. Walter Starr, a senior at a nearby college, were released from jail here yesterday under \$300 bail each, after being charged with the abduction of Miss Anna E. Steckel, daughter of a retired millionaire business man of this town. The hearing will be held next Thursday. Reuben P. Steckel, the girl's father, declares that he will spend half his fortune if necessary to prosecute the alleged abductors of his daughter.

Miss Steckel is at her home with her face and head badly cut as the result of her struggles in the taxicab in which it is alleged the attempt to abduct her was made.

The alleged abduction occurred yesterday afternoon. Miss Steckel was returning from a shopping expedition, and had just entered the vestibule in her home when she was seized by two men and forced into a waiting taxicab. The chauffeur was ordered to drive to the country, but on hearing sounds of a struggle, he declared, he turned his machine toward the police station, but in his haste collided with a monument in the center of the town.

The party was taken to the police station where, after Miss Steckel had told her story, the two men were held. Sinclair, who is said to be a rejected suitor of the girl, declares they were eloping with her consent.

Gives Birth to Four

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 13.—The birth of four boys makes Mrs. William G. Clark of Cleveland the mother of 27 children. She is only 35 years old. The quadruplets died because of an injury to the mother. This is the second set of quadruplets the woman has borne. She also is the mother of three sets of triplets and five sets of twins. Six of her 27 children are alive, the oldest, Roland, being 19, and the youngest, Hubbard, is 2 years old. Mrs. Clark's mother has 23 children. Her grandmother had 29 children, quadruplets and triplets among them.

Goes to India

PARIS, Jan. 13.—In the hope of recovering her health, which has been failing for several months, Emille Griseval, ward of the late Charles T. Yerkes, has gone to India to spend the winter and spring. The famous beauty is still loved, although she is but a shadow of her former glorious self.

BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS HAVE DANGER

By LILLIAN RUSSELL

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THERE are very few people in the world who understand the values and dangers of the use of flowers. The love of flowers is natural to every human being; we all appreciate their perfumes, which is proven by the large demand for extracts and odors from the European chemists. There has never been a time when the fashion of suiting exquisite and appropriate odors to certain individualities was so popular as today. Beautiful women and exquisitely delicate perfume seem synonymous. To be sure, one cannot always obtain the favorite flower to wear, as they are only in season for a short time each year, hence the mad craze for the favorite perfumes. But during the season of the favorite flower one should be careful to wear them only so long as they are fresh, for nothing is more dangerous to health than withered flowers.

Violets, for instance, exquisite as their odor is when fresh, there is nothing quite so unpleasant as their odor when faded and dead. The fumes of faded violets have a direct effect upon the nose and throat, often causes sneezing that results in a bad case of influenza. Lilies are absolutely fatal to singers, for the fumes from their powerful fragrance will cause the throat to swell and become inflamed. This fact is well known to opera singers in Italy. For often a youthful prima donna has been a dismal failure at her first debut by accepting a bunch of gorgeous white lilies from some rival and placing them in her room while dressing. Lilies, gardenias, jasmine and tube roses are all too heavily laden with rich odor to be used in profusion. I have seen a woman faint from the odor of a large bunch of gardenias which she had pinned upon her breast. I myself have become dizzy sitting in a warm room where lilies were placed in profusion. In sleeping apartments all flowers of every description should be removed before retiring. Not one rose, however treasured, should stand near the bed. Beautiful as it is, its fumes are not healthy when cut from its branch. Growing plants are not so dangerous if the room is large, ceilings high and windows are kept continually open. It is the amputated victims which send out dangerous fumes, perhaps in revenge for their mutilation. Remember, the retaliation of the flowers for unkindnesses may not be so forceful as that of the human, but it is far more subtle.



LILLIAN RUSSELL.
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formation by writing to the city clerk, care of the mayor's office.

A NEEDED SISTER—Allow the cloth which has been wet in hot water to stay on the face until it gets cold. It isn't necessary to cool the face with cold water.

S. A.—The powder probably does not agree with your face. I would advise you to try a different powder. Before applying apply a good cold cream to the face, rubbing it into the skin for a minute or so, and then taking what is left off with a soft cloth. Apply the powder. If you care for my formula for cold cream send me a stamped addressed envelope and I shall be glad to send it to you.

MRS. S. Y.—School headaches, lassitude, depression of spirits are often caused by some defect of vision or error of refraction. If your girl is constantly complaining of headache have her eyes examined at once by an oculist, and have any error of refraction, such as short sight, long sight, or astigmatism, corrected by suitable glasses. We are only beginning to realize that defective eyesight may be the cause of incalculable mischief at the school age. Many a morose, apparently stupid child, subject to headaches and fits of temper, would be metamorphosed into a bright, happy girl or boy if the parent would only have the child's eyes examined and the defective vision corrected. If you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope I shall be glad to send you the formula for an excellent eye wash and a set of strengthening exercises for the eyes. These may help your daughter, but see an oculist by all means.

Answers to Queries

L. R. A.—If the cream you are now using agrees with your skin, there is no reason for changing it. Personally I never care for the greasiness of creams. It must be remembered that the oils in the cream are necessary to cleanse properly and to nourish the skin. Creams that contain animal fat, such as tallow, will cause a growth of hair, but the vegetable fats such as wax, will not. The following is a good formula for rose cream. You can have it made up at any drug store: White wax, 90 grains; spermaceti, 30 grains; almond oil, 2 ounces; rose water, 1 1/2 ounces; oil of roses, 4 drops.

D. B.—Gentle massage with warm cocoa butter is good for developing the bust. A simple but helpful exercise for this purpose is as follows: Clench the fists vigor-

ously and bring them together in front, the arms being raised to horizontal position. With the arms at shoulder level gradually separate the fists as widely as you can. In this way the muscles of the chest, shoulders and back are exercised and developed. Deep breathing is also good for this purpose. It should be practiced frequently, taking deep inhalations through the nostrils, holding the breath for a few seconds, and then letting it out through the nostrils. Practice this exercise for five minutes each morning upon arising. You will find that this will help you wonderfully. I shall be glad to send you instructions for developing the bust and a set of deep breathing exercises if you will send me a stamped addressed envelope.

M. D. L.—I do not know about the license permits in Oakland, as different cities have different ordinances, but you can obtain this in-

SCHOOL AND PLAYGROUND

FREMONT TEAM SOON IN FIELD



JOSEPHINE KOESSEL.

Soon after the opening of the spring term in the Fremont High School, the girls will commence to practice basketball for the season's games. As yet no squad has been selected, but it is predicted that the banner team of the school will be the result of the training. Last year the team included Violet Waddell, Ruth Russell and Josephine Koessel, forwards; Vera Russell, Hope Townsend, Edith Whittier, guards; Anna McKenzie, center; Reba Hoff, center; Emily Hansen, side center.

DURBAR MEDAL GIVEN TO YOUNG AMERICAN

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—King George of England has conferred on Robert Ewing, a graduate in the University of Chicago, the durbar silver medal, in recognition of services rendered in connection with the durbar festival held in Delhi, India. Among the 11 medals of this kind, this one ranks sixth. Mr. Ewing was stationed at Madras as general secretary of the International Y. M. C. A. when the durbar was held.

ORDERED TO ASSIST LOCAL NAVAL MILITIA

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The officers in charge of navy recruiting stations throughout the country have been ordered by the Navy Department to assist local naval militia as far as practicable, rendering them aid in their work and giving the officers and men instruction in matters pertaining to the navy and naval service. This is further evidence of the interest with the navy department now takes in the naval militia and the importance attached to that service.

BASKETBALL LEAGUE BUSY

In the playground basketball league both the De Fremy teams, 120 and 130 pounds, still have a standing of 1000 points, having won two games from Franklin last Saturday. The game between Mosswood and Bushrod teams in the 130 class was one of the fastest seen on the local playground in many a day. It was a furious mix from start to finish. In the end the Mosswood aggregation showed that they were past masters of the art of passing and guarding. The score, as finally told, was Mosswood 33, Bushrod 14.

Mosswood are the players of both teams: Bushrod, center, center; Woolrich, forward; Hayes, forward; Adams, guard; Hoffmann, guard.

Bushrod—E. Mahan, center; G. Horre, guard; Arthur Connor, guards; De Soto, forward; Hunter, forward.

The Bushrod 120-pound team won from the Mosswood 120-pound team in a fast game, score, 10 to 7. Two teams, one from Tompkins and the other from Bella Vista took part in one of the hardest-fought games that has ever been seen in any of the playground contests. At the end of the first half the score stood 10 to 9 in favor of Tompkins, the final ending was 19 to 17 in favor of Bella Vista.

TEAMS MATCHED.
The result was in doubt until the very last minute of play, so neatly were the teams matched. Wells and Van Vranken were the stars for Tompkins, the former shooting 7 baskets. Boyer, Gardner, Scott and Drew were in the star class for Bella Vista. Following are the teams and the names of the players:

Boyer, 2, forward; Gardner, Drew, center; Wells, 1, forward; Scott, 1, forward; Nicholas, Gardner, guard; Scott, 2, guard; Field goals Boyer 3, Tompkins, center; Van Vranken, 1 field goal and 3 fouls; forward; Wola, 7 field goals and 2 fouls; forward; Derrick, 1 foul goal; guard; Bruister, 3 foul goals; guard; McDowell, 1 field goal and 1 foul goal.

team held his men in their places well, and did some effective work with his feet in the dribbling rushes. Among the Franklin forwards Perry, Ure and Weyler did some fine work and came within an ace of scoring several times. Dearborn and Tooker were never backward when called on to follow up Peasey Mead, the De Fremy inside right, was very aggressive, being in all the scrimmages. Bertola, the center half for De Fremy, used his head very effectively, was very effective with his long boot to safety in all defensive work. Landgrain and Barnard, the other half backs, did some "exceptional" ball clearing work. The De Fremy team, Dooley and Louis Scanzafava certainly showed that they knew the game and were always there with the long drive to basket when they were needed. As goal keeper, Lightner, probably is the best that has ever held down that position for the West Oakland park. At half, Captain Gordon of Franklin showed that he is a thorough master of the game of basketball. At right and left, Toole and Perry did some very splendid work in the way of booting back to center.

LOW SENIOR CLASS TO HOLD DANCE FRIDAY

Following closely on the heels of the brilliant Senate-Ecclesia dance held at the Oakland High School last Friday evening, the semi-annual dance of the low senior class will be held next Friday evening in the spacious High School gym. The popular class dances of the school always attract a great number of the younger set and the day 800 of who will be invited to attend. Black and gold, the class colors, will predominate in the decorating effects and the orchestra will play from a hidden bow of garlands and ferns. Artistic lighting effects will also add to the gaiety of the evening. The dance programs are unique and will receive much favorable comment. The dance committee will include Miss Margaret Morrison, Miss Ruth Oliver, Miss Louise Miller, Raymond Gimbal, Harold Riote and Harold Aydelotte, chairman. The mothers of those on the dance committee will chaperone the affair.

CARDINAL GREETED.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—James Cardinal Gibbons, prince primate of the Catholics of the United States, received the New Year greetings of 3000 Catholics of the capital in a magnificent hall yesterday. After a brilliant high mass Cardinal Gibbons presided to the hall where socialites and societies presented addresses and the three thousand in turn kissed the cardinal's ring.

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84-Year-Old C. M. Hart Suffers From Exposure Until Intruders Relent.

Imprisoning E. H. Montgomery, a California pioneer, aged 84 years, in the clothes closet of his bedroom, two burglars who had broken into the home of his son-in-law, C. M. Hart, 602 Alcatraz avenue, left the old man to shiver in his scanty attire while they slowly and carefully ransacked the house. It took the two men about an hour to make a leisurely search for valuables, and as they were about to leave the place they heard a little voice piping from behind the locked door of the clothes closet.

"I'm an old man, and I'm feeble," said the voice. "It's getting powerful cold here."

"Pretty hard on the old gink," said one rough voice.

"Well, we can't take a chance in turning him loose," responded the other. "He'd call the cops."

"My son-in-law won't be home till after midnight," pleaded the old man through the keyhole. "I might die of cold there before that time, and then you'd have murder on your hands. I won't tell the police."

"About time for you to die, ain't it?" queried the second burglar.

"Nix on the rough stuff," said the other angrily. "He may be somebody's poor old dad. Let's put him to bed and lock him in the bedroom."

FREED FROM COLD STORAGE.

After some parleying, the door of the clothes closet was opened, and the old man was found half kneeling, half crouching before the door. He was so stiff from cold that the burglars had to carry him to his bed. They wrapped him carefully in blankets, admonished him not to make a noise and locked the doors to his room carefully from the outside before escaping from the house.

The burglars forced an entrance through the rear door of the Hart home about 7:30 last night, after Mr. and Mrs. Hart had left the house to visit friends. The old man, who is a pioneer of California, had been put to bed, and was awakened by some one moving about in his room. A light had been left burning in the room, but before he had awakened this had been turned out by the intruders. The old man felt hands moving over the covers of his bed, and suddenly the blankets were jerked over his head, and he was pinned down by two strong arms.

"Pull down the blinds and give us some light," muttered one of the men.

COOLER FOR OLD MAN.

"This was done and the burglar by the bed gingerly uncovered the old man's face.

"It's only an old one," he commented. "But him in the closet," responded his companion in a jocular manner, and without more ado the old man was jerked from his bed and locked in the dark clothes closet.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart returned home about midnight and found the door to the old man's room locked on the outside. They entered and found Montgomery still shivering in his bed from cold and from fright.

The police were notified. A watch valued at \$20 and a small amount of coin comprised the loot taken by the two burglars.

GETS 5 YEAR TERM FOR ALLEGED THEFT

Demetri Spasoff and Boreas Dimitroff, who were convicted of having assaulted Ivan Kurnachoff, a Berkeley shoemaker, October 3 with a deadly weapon, were each placed on probation for six months by Superior Judge Wells today.

William Bird, colored, who was found guilty by a jury of having robbed the apartment of R. J. Morrison, 1001 Seventh street, was sentenced to serve five years in San Quentin by the same court. During the trial of the case it developed that Bird had attempted to smuggle a letter out of the county jail by his wife. The letter was intercepted by Deputy Sheriff Jack Collier, who turned it over to District Attorney Ilynes. The letter was addressed to a colored man by the name of Washington of Alameda, and the writer pleaded that Washington go on the stand and testify that he had been in Alameda at the time the crime was committed.



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—Arrowsmith photo.

Demise of Prominent Physician Follows Close Upon Rallying Period; End Is Sudden

HAYWARD, Jan. 12.—The sudden death of Dr. George E. Reynolds of this place last Saturday afternoon came like a thunder bolt to his legion of friends everywhere. He had been sick ten days and the outlook for his recovery was most encouraging.

Only a few minutes before his demise he was chatting with his wife and telling her how he would surprise them all in three days from that time. He then told his nurse that he could go out for a walk as he felt very sleepy, and his wife had hardly left his bedside when she heard a gurgling sound and on reaching his bedside found him gasping for breath.

Although he had passed to the great beyond the wife could not realize it and Dr. L. C. Billingsby was hastily summoned and urged to use every means possible to revive Dr. Reynolds, but he was beyond all earthly relief.

HAYWARD RESIDENT 21 YEARS. Dr. Reynolds was a native of Sacramento, and aged 56 years. He had resided here for about 21 years and was one of the most prominent and successful physicians in Alameda county. He enjoyed the highest esteem of every one in the community, and his death is a great loss to the

neighborhood, for he was one of the most public spirited citizens.

Dr. Reynolds was one of the most popular fraternal men in this place, being an honored member of Eucalyptus Lodge, F. & A. M., Sacramento Lodge I. O. O. F., Alameda Lodge of Elks, Eden Parlor of Native Sons, Court Hayward, F. of A., Cypress Camp, W. O. W., Palmer Circle, W. O. W., I. D. E. S., and U. F. E. C. of Hayward.

WIFE SURVIVES.

He is survived by a widow, nee Lydia Platt, and two sisters, Miss Ada M. Reynolds of Los Angeles and Mrs. Evelyn Reynolds Jones of Oakland.

The funeral was held from his late residence in Maple Court this morning at 9:30, and was private. Rev. Hamilton Lee, pastor of Trinity Episcopal church, officiating. The remains were then taken to Native Sons' Hall, where the beautiful burial service of the Masonic Order was performed by Worshipful Master, Martin J. Madison, assisted by C. F. Suss, H. E. Brunner, S. Madala, and others. Deacons of Eucalyptus lodge. The hall was crowded with members of the different fraternal orders to which he belonged and a multitude of friends. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The remains were taken to Oakland for cremation.

NEW DOWN-TOWN IMPROVER ARRIVES

A signature on the register of the Hotel Crellin placed there last evening is costing Proprietor Aber many a cigar today. Near the bottom of this page appears the following: "Leroy Hoyt Aber, 'My City Oakland,' 10:30 p. m." "Papa" Aber says there is nothing the matter with the youngster's lungs, and that both the boy and the mother are doing finely. "He is surely the youngest member of the Down Town Improvement Club," is the way the president of that organization now refers to the first-born.

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'NOTHING ON ME,' SAYS JOHANNSEN

San Francisco Labor Leader Appears for Trial in the South.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Anton Johannsen, the San Francisco labor leader, charged jointly with Olaf Tveitmo, Eugene Clancy and J. E. Munsey with having plotted to bring dynamite into California, appeared today for trial in the Federal District Court. His case, however, together with those of Tveitmo and the others, was postponed until the July term of court. Tveitmo, Clancy and Munsey were convicted recently in the Indianapolis dynamite conspiracy trial, and the continuance ordered here today was the result of the desire of the federal prosecutors here to await the outcome of the appeals entered in the East in behalf of the convicted labor leaders. Johannsen said he never expected to go to trial. "They have nothing on me," he said.

OTIS ANNOUNCES HE WILL BE CANDIDATE

ALAMEDA, Jan. 12.—Frank Otis made formal announcement today that he will be a candidate for mayor of Alameda. The announcement was given as petitions asking Otis to run were circulated Saturday. Alameda politicians are busy figuring out the new order of

BIGGEST TASK WOULD WREST OF O. AND A. LAND FROM RAILROAD

Redwood Peak Tunnel Broken Through by Crews Working From Each End.

Twenty Mile Division From This City to Walnut Creek to Open March 1.

With the breaking-through of the Redwood Peak tunnel shortly before midnight Saturday, the most difficult task in connection with the opening of the Oakland and Antioch road has been accomplished. Within three weeks, Shattuck & Edinger, the contractors who have been at work on the roadbed from Walnut Creek to Fortieth and Shattuck streets in Oakland, will turn over the work to the company and the task of laying the rails on this side of the tunnel will begin.

Rails are now laid on the east side from Walnut Creek to a point about a mile away from the tunnel, so that by the time the contractors have finished the tunnel, traffic can practically be started between the tunnel. Walnut Creek and Martinez. Between the last two points, there is already a service of one train daily.

STARTED YEAR AGO.

Work on the twenty-mile division between Oakland and Walnut Creek was started approximately a year ago and has cost in the neighborhood of \$700,000. The task embraced the construction of a road bed, 3,400 feet tunnel, fifteen trestle bridges, and one steel and concrete bridge over Little Lake Temescal.

Great difficulties were encountered in the construction of the tunnel, particularly in the approach on this side, where steel and concrete retaining walls had to be built and the first 350 feet of the tunnel lined with concrete. The entire length of the tunnel had to be close timbered and lagged.

From fitted to twenty inches of water formed continuously in the east end of the tunnel. All the supplies, including seven million feet of lumber, were hauled over the precipitous Snake road.

MEN SHAKE HANDS.

When the thin dividing wall was reached at midnight Saturday, Superintendent E. J. Carrillo in charge of 100 men on the east end, reached through the opening made by a pick handle and shook hands with Superintendent Jack Walsh who headed the gang of 100 men who had been working from this side. The opening was effected 2100 feet from the east end. There are still 200 feet of bench to be taken out and this will be done within three weeks. In the meantime steam shovels are at work upon the last cut just west of Lake Temescal.

The Shattuck-Edinger company is the same firm that constructed the El Paso tunnel on the Nevada-California line between Mohave and Ojito.

March 1 has been set as the date for the formal opening of the division between Walnut Creek and Oakland, and including the Martinez section on the east.

The line to Antioch will probably not be completed for some time. At Pay Point, where the new Oakland-Antioch bridge will be constructed, ferry slips are now being constructed to accommodate a ferry service that will be used until the bridge has been constructed.

WIFE MARRIED ANOTHER, CLAIM

Husband Granted Divorce on Strength of Cross-Complaint.

Eugene E. Seymour has been granted summary decree of divorce from Gertrude Seymour upon testimony given before Superior Judge Wasto in support of a cross-complaint filed against his wife's suit for divorce.

In his cross-complaint Seymour declared that his wife had filed his true and correct name and then gone to Los Gatos, where she met another man. Several days after her departure, Seymour said, he read an item in a newspaper which told about the marriage of his wife to the other man.

Question of Oil Holdings Going to Individuals Instead S. P. Before Court.

Corporation Has Patents to Acreage, But Mineral Lands Are Excepted.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—An empire of oil lands worth probably more than a billion dollars was the prize which brought groups of opposing lawyers today before the Supreme Court.

The occasion was the argument of what reply the court should make to a request for instruction from the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Ninth circuit, which was unable to decide whether the Southern Pacific Railroad company, or Edmund Burke and other separate entrymen were entitled to land now said to be gushing forth oil in California.

The railroad company has received patents to the land. The government recently brought proceedings to have the patents cancelled, but that question is not before the court.

The patents contained a provision excepting all mineral lands from the grant. Burke and other entrymen claim that the exception prevented the land passing to the railroad and that they are entitled to the land under the exception. The railroad contends that the exception is void, and anyway, that evidence cannot now be presented to show the lands are mineral oil lands. The government having issued a patent for them and no fraud having been practiced upon it.

Primarily the Southern Pacific Railroad alone is concerned in the present controversy, but the same exceptions are contained in patents to practically every land-grant railroad traversing the west and so would all be affected by the decision.

MANY EVENTS AT HOTEL OAKLAND

Important Social Functions Are Scheduled for This Week.

This week will see many important social functions at the Hotel Oakland, and the following are scheduled for every day in the week. There will be 500 present at Thursday's dinner of the Young Men's Association. The schedule of events began today with a card party and luncheon in the English parlour at which Mrs. T. Crellin was the hostess.

In order will come the following: Tuesday, 14—Ad club in north banquet room for luncheon; convention of the California Terminal Lines Passenger association, called by Charles S. Fee, traffic manager of Southern Pacific. Fee is chairman of the association. Participants from District Freight and Passenger Agent Richardson, Thirteenth and Broadway.

Wednesday, 15—Banquet in south banquet room for luncheon; convention of the California Terminal Lines Passenger association, called by Charles S. Fee, traffic manager of Southern Pacific. Fee is chairman of the association. Participants from District Freight and Passenger Agent Richardson, Thirteenth and Broadway.

Thursday, 16—Rotary club lunch in south banquet room. Outlook club in English parlour. Banquet at 8:15 o'clock; Y. M. C. A. dinner in ball room at 8:30 o'clock; 500 at dinner in English parlour. Mrs. Alex Pantages.

Saturday, 18—Kappa Alpha Phi alumni association. Ball room, 200 couples; reservation by L. H. Wilson, 2218 Dana street, Berkeley; phone Berkeley 2287. Laundry association in north banquet room. 15 to 100 guests at 7:30 o'clock; reservation by J. N. Borroughs, Twenty-eighth and Hubert streets. Luncheon of California Civic league; reservation by Mrs. Walter F. Brown, 2224 Chapel street, Berkeley, 250 present.

ENDORSE MRS. CHAPMAN FOR STATE REGENT

ALAMEDA, Jan. 12.—Mrs. I. N. Chapman, present state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, has been endorsed by Copia de Oro chapter of Alameda for re-election to the position of state regent. Mrs. Chapman's present term expires early this year and the new regent is to be elected at the meeting of the state chapter in San Francisco the last of February. Copia de Oro chapter has sent to the other chapters in the state formal notice of Copia de Oro's endorsement of Mrs. Chapman to succeed herself as state regent.

TELLS STORY OF OBTAINING LETTERS

Witness Testifies He Was Kidnaped and Carried to Newspaper Office.

Archbold Missives to Former Senator Foraker Taken From Standard Oil.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—How copies of letters from John D. Archbold to former Senator Foraker and other public men were taken from the Standard Oil Company's offices at 26 Broadway, New York by W. W. Winkfield and Charles Stump, negro messengers employed by the company, was told to the Senate campaign fund investigating committee today by Gilchrist Stewart, a negro law clerk. Stewart said he was employed by Foraker to investigate whether certain alleged photographic copies of letters published were forgeries.

Winkfield was found in Chicago. Stewart said, and told him a story of how he and Stump took copies of letters from the Standard Oil company files and disposed of them to a representative of the New York Amelcan.

KIDNAPED, CLAIM.

While in Chicago on December 24, Stewart declared, he was kidnaped by "gangsters" taken to the office of the Chicago Examiner and robbed of a stack of letters and papers, including two letters to him from former Senator Foraker. The witness gave a circumstantial account of his efforts to escape from the "gangsters" who had searched the house in which he was stopping, and a hotel, and of the alleged scene in the Examiner's office. The men who kidnaped him, he said, told him they were policemen exhibited what purported to be warrants and attempted to make believe the Examiner's office was a police station.

CIPHER MESSAGE.

Chairman Clapp read into the record a translation, furnished by John D. Rockefeller recently with a narrative of the "Archbold letters." The translation given by the committee follows:

"26 Broadway, New York, September 25, 1900.

"Hon. J. B. Sibley, Franklin, Pa.: "Have returned here and will be glad to see you at any time. Have communicated with A. J. Cassatt and he will see us in Philadelphia, Pa. If we so desire, either Thursday or Friday. Will Charles Miller be here this week?"

(Signed) "J. D. ARCHBOLD."

'We-Have-With-Us' Course Instituted

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Finished after-dinner speakers will be turned out of the law school of the University of Southern California, according to the plans of Professor Olmstead of the public speaking department, who has instituted a course in post-prandial oratory.

Believing that a fitting response to the historic "we have with us this evening" is an important part of the education of a lawyer, Professor Olmstead has inaugurated a series of dinners at which the students will be called upon for a "few remarks."

They also will officiate as toastmasters.

DISSOLUTION UNION PACIFIC BEGINS

Directors and Officers Resign From Boards of Two Companies.

Kruttchnitt Succeeds Lovett on S. P. Board of Directors.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Directors and officers of the Union Pacific railroad, who were also directors of the Southern Pacific, tendered their resignations today as the first step in compliance with the decree of the Supreme Court dissolving the two roads. Inversely, directors of the Southern Pacific also connected with the Union Pacific resigned.

Julius Kruttchnitt resigned as director of maintenance and operation of the Union Pacific and was elected chairman of the board of the Southern Pacific, succeeding R. S. Lovett, resigned. Judge Lovett, Mortimer L. Schiff and Frank A. Vanderlip also resigned from the Southern Pacific executive committee and were succeeded by Robert Goelz, James N. Wallace and E. P. Swanson.

From the Southern Pacific board of directors, in addition to Judge Lovett, the following resigned: Otto H. Kahn, Charles A. Peabody, M. L. Schiff, Frank A. Vanderlip, R. W. Goelz, L. J. Spence (vice-president) and Marvin Huggitt. In their stead the following were chosen: James N. Wallace, Horace Harding, W. P. Bliss, C. N. Bliss, G. H. Linton, J. N. Jarvie, C. H. Kelsey and E. P. Swanson.

SEEK BELL RINGER.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 13.—The police are looking for a man who has been trying to break into the doors of the Union street and on San Jose and Clinton avenue. In several instances the man tried the door and rang only after finding the door locked. He asked for money or shoes in cases where the door was opened in response to his ring.

Auction Sale!

Salvage Shoe Auction Sale
of the elegant high-grade stock, formerly Warnock Shoe Company. This stock inventories about \$11,000 and we have been instructed to sell same Tuesday, January 14, at 10:30 a. m. Sale at 1007 Clay street, corner Tenth street, Oakland, comprising the choicest lines of gent's, ladies', boys' and misses' shoes of the best brands and union made.
All must and will be sold.
Open for inspection Monday afternoon.
J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.

Administrator's Auction

On Wednesday, January 15, at 11 a. m., at the elegant 10-room residence, corner 6th ave. and East 10th st., all the personal property of the estate of Lydia M. Stevens, deceased, sold by order of the Superior Court.

Comprising, in part, beautiful davenport and parlor upholstery, round oak dining table, chairs and buffet (very fine), chint, clock, lace curtains, crockery, costly Circassian walnut, maple and oak dressers, chiffoniers, princess dressers, fine bedding, sheets, blankets, pillows, etc., mahogany secretary, hall hatrack, body brushed and wither carpets and art squares throughout the house, kitchen range, tables, linoleum, etc., also 1 Raud instantaneous water heater as good as new.

This is a grand chance to secure first-class goods at auction prices, as everything must be sold to close estate.
F. A. EBY, Administrator.
MEYSEL & MEYSEL, Auctioneers.

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BERKELEY GOSSIP OF STUDENTS AND RESIDENTS IN THE UNIVERSITY TOWN AND SOCIAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS OF DAY IN THE ISLAND CITY ALAMEDA

REGISTRATION IS HEAVY AT U. OF C.

New Courses to be Given in Many Departments by Added Faculty Men.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Jan. 12.—The attendance for the first day of the spring semester, registration opened today at the University of California, and the attention of students and faculty alike was attracted to the new courses to be given this semester. The registration for the first day was estimated by the Registrar, James Sutton, at 3,500. That of a year ago was 3,200, of which 870 were graduates and 2,330 undergraduates. Numerous new courses will be commenced tomorrow, according to announcement from the president's office. Many are expected to be attracted by the work in gas engineering, which is to be supported by the Pacific Coast Gas Association with a gift of \$27,000 a year for five years. Dr. Carleton H. Parker, alumnus of the university and more recently of the department of landscape gardening, Professor J. W. Gregg of Pennsylvania will have charge of the new department of landscape gardening. Professor C. F. Shaw has just arrived from Pennsylvania State College to become professor of soil and technical agriculture. The first number of "Brass Tacks," a weekly of general contents, appeared today on the campus. It is under the direction of the Editors of the Republic, but will contain, besides political matter, items of general interest, reviews of plays, notes on musical and art, and other news and editorials. E. H. Trout edits the new publication.

HUNGRY YOUTH IS ACCUSED BURGLAR

Roy Alton, Caught in Chase, Declares He Was After Bread.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—"I was cold and hungry. I didn't have a cent in the world, and I was going to steal to get bread." This was the statement made by Roy Alton, an 18-year-old lad, who was caught early this morning after a chase through the Western Addition, participated in by several citizens. He was charged with burglary at the Bush-street station. C. Couette, employed at the Alpine Dairy, 654 Fulton street, was entering the place at midnight when he heard a noise inside and saw Alton run out. Together with Alton, Greenberg, of 816 Buchanan street, and Sam Cohen of 1816 Market street, he pursued the burglar, the chase extending for a dozen blocks. Finally the fugitive ran into a basement at 1139 Golden Gate avenue, and a man in an automobile, searching for an officer, brought up Patrolman Lynch. The latter dragged the culprit forth from the cellar and the boy broke down and wept, and explained that he was hungry and that he had just come here from Seattle.

NOMINATES SCRIVEN TO SUCCEED ALLEN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—President Taft today sent to the Senate the nomination of Colonel George F. Scriven of the United States Army Signal Corps to be chief of the office, succeeding Brigadier-General James Allen, who retires next month.

CONGRESSMAN WEEKS NAMED FOR SENATE

BOSTON, Jan. 12.—Congressman John W. Weeks was nominated for United States senator by the Republican members of the legislature today after four days of balloting.

HOTEL IS WITHIN NO-LIQUOR LINES

Claremont Directors May Turn to Legislature to Secure Change in Law.

BERKELEY, Jan. 12.—Because most of the new Claremont Hotel falls within the southern perimeter of the mile limit from the University of California, within which the sale of liquor is forbidden by State law, the service of liquor and wines there will be taboo unless a change in the law is made in the legislature. The matter has already been brought to members of the legislature, but none is understood to have committed himself to any line of action. Three years ago a large tract of land was acquired in what is known as Strawberry canyon. The property cost upwards of \$200,000. It was secured as a watershed for the Berkeley colleges. This Strawberry canyon property is within one mile of the Claremont Hotel. However, there was a clause in the deed to the property which in substance read "the acquisition of this property shall not in any way be construed as an extension of the campus of the University of California." But the legality of this clause has been challenged, and there has been a scurrying to legislators. Attorney Edward Engs, counsel for the hotel company, is said to have personally appeared to a number of the State's lawmakers with a view to having the existing law amended. While a number of the members of the present Legislature admitted that they had been approached on the subject, none of them would commit himself as to probable action in the matter. It was denied last night that any attempt would be made at the present session of the Legislature to amend the present law.

GODOWSKY AT VE LIBERTY TUESDAY

Famous Pianist to Appear in Concert; Fine Program Arranged.

There will be a big crowd at Ye Liberty tomorrow afternoon to welcome to Oakland the great pianist, Leopold Godowsky, who will make his farewell appearance in this section at that time. His concert will start at 8:15 p. m., and will be one of the best of the season. The program will include the great master's own compositions, and many San Franciscans, deeply impressed with his splendid concert in their home city, will come to Oakland tomorrow to hear what will probably be the best program he will give on his tour. The truly wonderful offering will begin with the popular, yet difficult, "Appassionata" Sonata of Beethoven. Then will come a finely selected Chopin group, including the B minor Sonata, the one which contains the famous funeral march, and also on the list is the Schumann "Carneval," with all its various movements and moods. Godowsky is a liberal musician, and there will likely be a number of special surprises in store for his auditors tomorrow. It is the opportunity of a lifetime to hear such masterly interpretation of the great compositions of pianoforte as played by Godowsky, so no pupil or student of music can well afford to miss the concert, as a few hours' listening to the "master pianist" is a liberal musical education in itself.

ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The Parent and Teachers' Association of the Franklin school will hold their first meeting of the new year tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the Franklin school in East Oakland. It is an important business and the members are urged to attend.

MAY CLOSE THE BERKELEY SCHOOLS

School Directors to Hold Conference Tonight With Health Board.

BERKELEY, Jan. 12.—The Board of Education, Board of Health and Dr. W. F. Snow of the State Board of Health will hold a joint meeting this evening and it is expected the school board will, as a result, vote to close the schools of the city until the health officers feel that the smallpox epidemic is thoroughly under control. Members of the school board were in conference yesterday on the situation and were almost unanimous in this plan. The school directors believe that the city will be able to close the schools for a few days, and that the State appropriation is made on the basis of attendance. The attendance figures are being daily cut down to a large extent in the three North Berkeley schools where vaccination has been ordered by Health Officer Dr. L. Benton. The closing of the schools, on the other hand, would not affect the attendance figures nor disturb the State appropriation. The local branch of the Vaccination League continued today its opposition both to vaccination in general and to the health officer's action in compelling the vaccination of children in the North End schools. Advertisements were placed in the papers by the league declaring against vaccination. The children's room at the Berkeley public library has been closed indefinitely owing to the danger from smallpox. A notice was posted at the library this morning that no children under sixteen years of age should be admitted to the library until further notice.

ENJOYS LIBERTY FOR 30 MINUTES

B. Herman to be Returned to Portland to Answer Charge.

Liberty for half an hour was enjoyed by B. Herman this morning, after he had been released from custody of the police by Superior Judge William H. Donahue on habeas corpus proceedings brought by Attorney George McDonough, so that Herman would have an opportunity to discuss certain business affairs with his wife. After his release Herman, who was arrested last Friday upon a telegraphic warrant issued by the Portland police, sat unmolested in the courtroom under protection of the session. Outside the door stood Inspectors Green and Gallagher with being a fugitive from justice. When Herman had finished his conversation with his wife he walked into the courtroom and was taken back to the city prison. With the local police was Officer E. F. of Portland who had arrested Herman without the necessary extradition papers. He is awaiting regulations from Sacramento with the expectation of returning the prisoner to the northern city under protection of a charge of removing from the State certain property which he was purchasing on the installment plan. The property consisted of a diamond ring, a watch and a quantity of furniture. Permission to confer with his wife was granted by the court on condition that Attorney McDonough petition for his release through habeas corpus proceedings. After hearing the arguments, Judge Donahue ordered Herman freed.

OLE NELSON DES; PIONEER WAS 78

Familiar Figure in Alpine and Calaveras County Passes Away.

Ole Nelson, aged 78, pioneer and miner, died at his home at 622 Sixty-fifth street yesterday. He was a familiar figure in Alpine and Calaveras counties in the early days and was well known in mining circles. He came to this state from Norway in 1855 when but a boy. Nelson belonged to the local G. A. R., in which organization he had a long and active life. He is survived by his widow, Ellen S. Nelson and five sons, Edmund, Oscar E., Noah L., Thomas C. and William L. All are residents of Berkeley and Oakland except William L., who lives in Golden Gate. After the funeral service tomorrow afternoon at the parlors at 2123 Allston way, Berkeley, the body will be shipped to San Andreas, Calaveras county, for interment.

POSTAL CLERKS ELECT

The Association of Postal Clerks of the Oakland postoffice has elected the following officers: George T. Sullivan, president; Walter Bohan, vice-president; Miss Stella Boland, secretary; Robert J. Chaffey, treasurer.

MIDWIFE IS HELD

Roy Chasman, a midwife, was held to answer this morning before Judge R. B. Tappin sitting for Judge Mortimer Smith, on a charge of having performed an illegal operation. Bonds were fixed in the sum of \$5000.

ROMANCE OF HIGH SCHOOL LEADS TO H MENEAL ALTAR



MRS. GAYLORD COOKE.

BERKELEY, Jan. 12.—The mails are carrying to the many friends of Miss Amy Gladys Roadhouse and Gaylord Cooke the interesting news of their marriage early this month. Both are recent graduates of the Berkeley High school. During the study days in which the romance blossomed that led to their nuptials. The wedding took place January 2 in San Francisco. The parents of the bride and groom knew of the plans and acquiesced, but practically no one else but the interested pair were advised. The announcement of the wedding comes as a surprise, therefore, to the wide circle of acquaintances which each claims in Berkeley. The bride was graduated from Berkeley High in the class of June, 1912. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roadhouse of 2123 Parker street and a sister of Dr. L. Benton. Cooke resides at 1210 Bonita avenue. He was a member of the Berkeley High school, the high school magazine, and president of the school magazine, and president of the school magazine. He was also prominent in student activities. He is now attending the Berkeley High school. For the present Mr. and Mrs. Cooke are at the home of the latter's parents, but they expect to start their own home in this city in the near future. Cooke is employed in Oakland.

FRUITVALE BANK CASE IS SETTLED

Superior Judge Brown Overrules Demurrer of State Superintendent.

Superior Judge Everett J. Brown today overruled the demurrer of W. R. Williams, State Superintendent of Banks, to the complaint of the Bank of Fruitvale. The complaint recited that Williams had unlawfully ordered the closure of the bank's branches on December 4, last, on the grounds that it was not operating within the law and that it was in violation of Section 23 of the State banking laws. A temporary restraining order was obtained by the bank officials pending settlement of the matter. The court was granted defendant to file answers. It is understood that the matter is practically settled. Judge Brown, in his opinion, stated that the law is not applicable to that particular bank on account of the annexation of the territory of the bank and the order of Section 23 of the bank act. The court further stated that the constitutionality of the bank act was not raised in the complaint and that it was not within his province to decide such a question. The legislature is now considering the passage of a bill which will cover such a situation as has grown out of the Fruitvale case. The bank officials stated that the bank had increased its capital from \$25,000 to \$50,000 in compliance with the existing laws. It was stipulated between the parties that the complaint of the bank would be withdrawn in the way of a test case. Williams argued that the bank should be allowed to operate on the basis of the existing laws. The court stated that the bank was not in compliance with the existing laws. The court further stated that the bank was not in compliance with the existing laws. The court further stated that the bank was not in compliance with the existing laws.

TO INSPECT SITE OF INNER HARBOR

BERKELEY, Jan. 12.—The Berkeley Chamber of Commerce is arranging for a public inspection of the proposed site of the inner harbor at the foot of Glisan street. The inspection will be held on Monday morning. Invitations have been sent to all members of the chamber and the public generally to attend the party of inspection. The inspection will be held at 10 a. m. The party will include Colonel Thomas H. Reed, U. S. A., chief of the engineering corps at San Francisco; County Surveyor P. A. Haviland; City Engineer J. J. Jessup and others. The scheme will be considered at a luncheon to be held at the Hotel Shattuck following the inspection of the site. The luncheon is open to the public, reservations being necessary with the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce or the management of the hotel.

TO BE TAKEN NORTH

B. Herman, arrested several days ago by Inspectors H. E. Green and Thomas Gallagher, will be sent back to Portland tomorrow to face trial on a felony charge of larceny by false pretenses. He is being held in the Oakland jail today with extradition papers for the prisoner. It is alleged that Herman obtained a \$80 diamond ring on the installment plan, after depositing \$20, and that he then disappeared with the stone.

CREW REMAINS ON WRECKED VESSEL

Steamer Uranium Fast on Rocky Reef, 10 Miles Below Halifax.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 12.—The steamer Uranium which terminated her voyage from Rotterdam by piling upon a rocky reef ten miles below Halifax in a fog yesterday remained fast today with Captain Eustace and crew aboard, but with all the 830 passengers safe ashore at the immigration station here. Whether the vessel could be saved was problematical. The steamer is stuck bow on, with 17 fathoms of water under her stern. The bowplates are ripped and No. 1 is water filled. The vessel's position is only a few hundred yards from the lighthouse at Chebucto Head, where the keeper declares he was blowing his foghorn when the vessel struck. It was on the same ledge and not far from this spot that the steamer Atlantic of the White Star Line was lost in April, 1873, at the sacrifice of 600 lives.

LIFEBOATS SAVE 880.

The rescue of the Uranium's passengers was accomplished by lifeboats from the Chebucto Head by transfer to the government steamer Lady Laurier, which was prompt to reply to wireless signals. There was no panic. All the passengers were landed during the night. Six hundred of them found for New York probably by rail today by special train. The Uranium is a 23-year-old boat which has sailed about all of the seven seas under four different owners and under as many different names. She was christened the Avoca, later named the Uranium, and then the Atlantic. The Uranium Steamship company, her present owner, gave her the company's name. Her only serious accident of record is a collision with the steamship Nordenfels, off Rotterdam four years ago, when she was badly damaged and one of her crew was killed. There is no explanation of the present stranding of the ship. She was considerably out of her course. Captain Eustace says he did not hear the fog alarm, although where he struck was not a quarter of a mile distant from it.

MAY BE PULLED FREE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—According to advices received at the Uranium Steamship company's New York offices at 8 o'clock this morning, all the holds of the stranded vessel are dry with the exception of No. 1, which has seven feet of water. It was believed the steamer could be pulled free at the noon tide, unless the wind became unfavorable.

OAKLAND WOMAN ROBBED BY THUG

Purse Snatched When Bandit Leaps Out of Doorway.

Miss B. Gillis, 407 Twenty-ninth street, was robbed by a thug, who leaped from a doorway and snatched her purse, containing \$5, from her grasp. The thief escaped. When a bandit attempted to hold up Harry Livingstone, 2329 Twenty-fourth street, early Sunday morning, he was aided by a policeman and snatched the thug aimed a blow at Livingstone, but the latter countered, and struck the man in the face. The thief fled. Although he had his choice of silver, jewelry and clothing, the bandit took only a fur hat valued at \$100, which was the only thing he took from the home of Mrs. Annie Bullitt of 487 Sixth street, Oakland. Mrs. Bullitt reported the theft to the police Sunday. Captain Agnew thinks the burglar had promised his sweetheart a muff for Christmas, failed, and was forced to steal. Mrs. A. E. Jarro of 976 Stanford avenue reported the loss of a muff at East Fourteenth street and Fruitvale avenue. It was valued at \$5. M. K. Lott, 461 Sixty-second street, reported his home entered Saturday night and jewelry valued at \$60 taken. Mrs. J. H. Burrell, 2227 Broadway, here reported his pocket picked of \$19 while riding in a Hayward car. E. F. Gibson, 2737 Twelfth avenue, reported to the police that burglars had entered through a pantry window and stolen a \$20 gold watch. Mrs. A. Ghesla of Walla Walla and Levida avenues reported a visit from burglars, who entered through a side window, but failed to obtain anything of value.

OAKLAND GUARDSMEN CHALLENGE ALAMEDA

ALAMEDA, Jan. 12.—The officers of Company G, N. G. C., of this city have received notification that in March a challenge will be for the best drilled squad in Oakland companies, and Company G of Oakland and Company C of Berkeley will also be included. The challenging company commences their training on Monday, and will have a series of drills that will extend over a period of 30 days. The challenge will be held in Alameda, and will be made a social event. The mayor and members of civic and semi-civic organizations will be invited to attend.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MICHELLI

ALAMEDA, Jan. 12.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Michelli, aunt of Benjamin and Jake A. Doyle of this city, and a sister of the late Daniel Doyle, who was injured when his home burned here a short time ago, was held in Oakland Saturday. The funeral was held from St. Mary's church, where a mass was said. Mrs. Michelli was long a resident of California, and was well known in this city. She is survived by her husband, Paul Michelli, who is in the United States army.

ENCAMPMENT TO INSTALL

ALAMEDA, Jan. 12.—Tomorrow evening at 10 o'clock in this city, Sunset Encampment, No. 25, will hold a public installation of officers. The committee in charge has arranged for a short entertainment to follow the ceremonies and a pleasant evening is anticipated.

PACKERS TO USE OLD WINDJAMMER

Famous Ship Abner Coburn Again to Sail, is Rumor.

It was officially made known today that the famous old American ship Abner Coburn, which for several years past has lain idle in the mudflats of East Oakland, has been purchased by the firm of Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago, and is to be used as a packing company. According to present plans it will not be many months in the future before the famous old windjammer will be on its way to the blue waters of the Pacific. As soon as the weather conditions become normal the vessel will be towed north to Puget Sound where it will be put into condition for work in the Chicago people's cannery fleet. The Coburn is one of the best known vessels plying the Pacific, having seen over 30 years of active service here. It was built in 1882, and was owned and operated by the California Shipping company and was also used in the Alaska salmon trade. For years it has been known as the "Old Windjammer" and it was believed that its last days would be spent in the mudflats of East Oakland. The Coburn was built in Maine in 1882. The Chicago Packing company's lumber carrier, Charles Nelson, Captain Olson, was a victor over the Olson & Mahony company's carrier Olson & Mahony, Captain Payne, in an exciting race from Everett to this port. The Olson & Mahony left the northern port five hours ahead of the Nelson, but the Nelson found the Olson & Mahony boat but one hour ahead of the Charles Nelson. Both vessels discharged in the inner harbor. The Olson & Mahony was 101 hours in making the run and the Nelson 97 hours. The big American steamer Danmar, Captain Watson, completed its work at Long wharf late yesterday and sailed for Victoria. The Danmar has been chartered by the United Fruit company, a heavy pontoon which was being hoisted overboard from the steamer. While working on the San Francisco wharf, the Danmar was struck by a falling spar from a longshoreman. The spar fell across this side and after working for several hours sailed south for San Pedro in the charge of Captain Hamma. The Danmar, Captain Ahlin, sailed yesterday from the inner harbor for Bureka. The schooner William Bowden is discharging its inner harbor. The North Fork Captain Nelson, from Bureka, is discharging in the inner harbor. The schooner William Bowden is discharging its inner harbor. The schooner William Bowden is discharging its inner harbor.

OREGON SOLONS TO RELEGATE STRIFE

Twenty-Seventh Session of Legislature Convened in North. SALEM, Ore., Jan. 12.—The Twenty-seventh Oregon Legislative Assembly convened at noon today for the regular session. The session was opened by the reading of a message from Governor Burnes, who had been nominated by popular vote. The Legislature also will have to take up the matter of the appropriation for Oregon's exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. This subject is expected to prove a hot debate, there being a considerable division of opinion as to the amount to be appropriated, the suggested amounts ranging from \$250,000 to \$500,000. Also, latterly, there has been an increasing demand that Oregon have an exhibit at the San Diego Exposition. This matter also will have to be decided by the Legislature.

RICHMOND G. A. R. POST INSTALLS OFFICERS

RICHMOND, Jan. 12.—A high honor that seldom comes to a Grand Army man in either of his homes in this city, the honor of Richmond Post No. 21, has been accorded to Captain John H. Nell, retiring commander of the local branch of the old soldiers' fraternity. Captain Nell has just been named as aide to the national commander of the organization. The honor is given because of the many years of faithful work for the order by Captain Nell and particularly for his efforts in organizing this new post, for with the ranks of the old soldiers growing rapidly smaller in a matter of distinction to be able to organize a new post. The new officers for the local post were installed Saturday night by Captain Nell as follows: Commander, C. H. McCausland; senior vice-commander, Peyton B. Gardner; junior vice-commander, J. H. Nell; adjutant, E. W. B. Smith; officer of the day, John T. Tompkins; quartermaster, A. Shoemaker.

WELL KNOWN ALAMEDA WOMAN PASSES AWAY

ALAMEDA, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Margaret Kist, mother of Alois Kist, a well known former business man in this city, died yesterday at the home of her son, 2121 Eagle street, at the advanced age of 91 years. Death, although not unduly sudden, came after a few days of illness. Mrs. Kist having enjoyed excellent health until a few days preceding her death. Pneumonia was the cause of death. Mrs. Kist came to this city about 12 years ago, after a residence of 40 years in St. Louis. She was a native of Germany, having graduated from the University of Heidelberg. Deceased was a prominent Catholic, and was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis, a Catholic society. In addition to her son, she is survived by three daughters, Mrs. M. Kist, Mrs. Mary Ernst of St. Louis and Mrs. Minnie Briggs of New York. The daughters have been notified of the death of their mother.

BURGLAR GETS LITTLE PLUNDER FOR WORK

ALAMEDA, Jan. 12.—As far as it is possible to determine, the burglar who robbed the A. W. Porter home last Friday night secured but little, if any, plunder. In the absence of the burglar, the Porter it is impossible to tell whether or not anything has been taken, but all of the small articles of household furniture of value were stored in the safe deposit before Mr. and Mrs. Porter's departure. The valuable bric-a-brac and other small articles of household furniture of value which were left in the home appeared to have been passed over by the burglar.

"KING OF ALABAMA" COLUMBIA COMEDY

Dillon and King Players Give Good Production of Musical Play.

There are so many good things in Dillon and King's pretentious offering entitled, "The King of Alabama," at the Columbia this week that it is difficult to single out any particular feature for special praise. It is a good, every minute in the 80 minutes of the action of the skit to run its course. From Will King's grotesque costume to the magnificent wardrobe of the principals and chorus, the comedy ranks as one of the most elaborately gowned and spectacular offerings ever seen in Oakland at bargain prices. Not only is the plot an exceedingly amusing one, but the story is excellent. It is told by the members of the company who gave rattling good first performances of the parts allotted to them. Ben Dillon and Will King appeared as two sailors who are shipwrecked and washed ashore on the island of Alabama. Their argument on oysters and their meeting with the king of the island are Ben Dillon is the cause of much laughter. Dressed in royal regalia, he assumed the role of a monarch, and the funerals and royal shenanigans of mummies. Will King is decidedly amusing in the role of Prince Key, husband of the princess. When he hears of the prevailing custom among the people which makes it a capital offense to marry, or to be married, he is so shocked that he is obliged to flee the island. The opportunities for humor are plentiful and well cared for by the comedian. Ernest Van Hook, the King of Alabama, the monarch with chronic grouches, gives a splendid characterization of a difficult role. Maude Beatty scored heavily as the princess. She invests the part with dignity and reserve and wears a stunning figure bedecked costume that becomes her nicely. Charlie Reilly as Prince Key, who looks like a typical Romeo and played the lover in true Shakespearean style. (Vim) Storch and Mattie Townsend, in rich original attire, played the king's advantage in their respective roles and contributed largely to the success of the skit. The production was satisfactory in the part of Heinrich. Mattie Townsend, the girl with the remarkable voice, reaches the highwater mark of her career in the skit. Her charming march song, "The Masque of the Troop," Charlie Reilly and Maude Beatty are pleasing in their charming duet with Prince Key. The skit is a play in his novel plantation melody, "Underneath the Cotton Moon." "Castles in the Air" was sung by Charlie Reilly. "Lovely Daughter of Allah," rendered by Clarence Wurdig of the quartet assisted by the chorus, and "Hambroo Queen" were other pleasing selections. The costumes and scenery deserve special mention. The scenery is the beauty of the oriental apparel worn by the company is alone worth a visit to the popular playhouse. The scenery is in the hands of the company, and the Columbia's scenic artist. "The King of Alabama" will continue for the remainder of the week.

'BEN HUR' COMES TO MACDONOUGH

Great Spectacle Will be Seen Here on January 20.

"Ben Hur" comes to the Macdonough theater community on Sunday, January 20, for four evening performances and Wednesday matinee, to charm, fascinate and elevate us with its beautiful story. In dramatic form, the novel has lost none of its splendid qualities. It is well for people that such a play as "Ben Hur" comes to this city. It is a pity that more like it are not produced. In the whirlwind life Americans are living, it is too frequently that many persons forget the serious and sacred side of life entirely. "Ben Hur" brings people back to the serious side of life. It is a play that more like it are not produced. In the whirlwind life Americans are living, it is too frequently that many persons forget the serious and sacred side of life entirely. "Ben Hur" brings people back to the serious side of life. It is a play that more like it are not produced. In the whirlwind life Americans are living, it is too frequently that many persons forget the serious and sacred side of life entirely. "Ben Hur" brings people back to the serious side of life. It is a play that more like it are not produced.

TWO NEAR DEATH IN GAS EXPLOSION

FRUITVALE, Jan. 12.—Frank Garcia, barber at 1502 East Fourteenth street, narrowly escaped blowing himself and his wife to pieces this morning, when, upon being notified that there was a strong smell of gas about his premises, lit a match to investigate. The result was a violent explosion which wrecked and set fire to a portion of the house. Garcia and his wife escaped injury. They summoned the fire department, which arrived in time to prevent the flames spreading to the house in which Garcia resides. Garcia says that during the past week new gas meters were installed and escaping gas had been noticed.

PAY FINAL TRIBUTE TO HENRY LEAVER

ALAMEDA, Jan. 12.—The funeral of Henry Leaver, who died in this city last Saturday afternoon, was held at the undertaking parlors of the United Undertakers in San Francisco at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. Interment was in Holy Cross cemetery.

DECEASED WAS THE HUSBAND OF THE ELIZABETH LEAVER, AND IS SURVIVED BY TWO SONS, CHARLES AND FRANK, AND THREE DAUGHTERS, Mrs. SUTTON, Mrs. J. H. ZABRISKIE AND MAHLE LEAVER. HE WAS A NATIVE OF ENGLAND, 60 YEARS OF AGE.

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Jim Barry Ruled Out of Card and Either Gunner or Jack Geyer Will Go On

This Ends Jim Barry

Well, Kirkwood is willing.

of these World Famous Remedies, at My Risk, I have confidence in my skill and am willing to put it to the test. If you are short of money my Low Fees and Easy Terms will allow you to have the Best Treatment at once.

Winnipeg, Manitoba, and Michigan. A new trophy has been donated by T. W. Wynn of Minneapolis to be contested for in the international event. It is a silver cup, more than three feet high.

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Feeling was at high pitch. Archie Harris wanted to turn the game into a prize fight once, and nunch his opponent, but he was outleted by his teammates and the game went merri-

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Ward, the veteran rowing coach of the University of Pennsylvania, will not be retained by the rowing committee at the next August, when his contract expires.

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FOURTEEN RAISED IN POLICE RANK

Ordinance Passed by the City Council Creates New Positions.

Raising 14 men in rank, an ordinance was passed by the city council this morning at the instance of Chief of Police Walter J. Petersen, creating new positions. The salaries to be paid are provided by savings in the police funds. The ordinance provides positions to which will be appointed men who have occupied these places for the past year, being detailed to the new positions in an acting capacity. The ordinance provides positions to which will be appointed men who have occupied these places for the past year, being detailed to the new positions in an acting capacity.

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Turner explains that additional assistance will be required for the remainder of the fiscal year. For a city of its size, according to Petersen, Oakland has the smallest police department in the United States.

LETTER TO TURNER.

Petersen wrote the following letter to Turner, explaining the changes:

"I desire to call your attention police necessities in connection with the new northern division police station, the manning of the new city hall and the properly of the police department."

"The northern district police station will require one sergeant, one lieutenant, one sergeant and two corporals as well as three patrol wagon officers."

"The central station at the new city hall will require one sergeant, one lieutenant, one sergeant and two corporals."

"The city prison will require one sergeant, one lieutenant, one sergeant and two corporals."

"The bureau of criminal investigation will require one sergeant and four assistant inspectors."

"Acting captain of inspectors Agnew has the rank of an assistant inspector in his present position entitles him to a rank of at least as high as the other members of the inspectors' bureau."

"Inspector Caldwell, in charge of the bureau of criminal identification is an expert in his line of service and should be given the rank and receive the compensation that his service to the city entitles him."

"I have ample funds in the police department to make all the promotions in the police department for the present fiscal year and will, after the promotion have been made, have money left in the police funds for emergencies. I would therefore request that an ordinance be passed for the promotion of the following officers to the positions of police officers."

"The proposed promotions will make an increase in the police force of \$22,650."

"I have also to inform you that the changes in the inspectors' bureau are as just as the changes in the police force in the inspector bureau many hours over the eight hour day and with no increased compensation for the duties they are performing."

"Our new police station in Northern Oakland will probably be ready for occupancy in the city of January 20, 1913, very likely by the new city hall at about the same time, hence the need of the proposed ordinance at this time."

"The proposed ordinance will make the appointments and also call for civil service examinations for filling the proposed positions."

POCKET IS PICKED

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Herman Blivo of the Occidental Hotel, 175 Third street, was at a town hall saloon last night when some one picked his pocket, taking \$250.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

BECK-FIELDS—Edward J. Brown, 22, and Little Fields, 24, both of Mission San Jose.

DAVIDSON—Harvey V. Davis, 38, New York, and Mary E. Davis, 35, New York.

HOLLAND-MAZINI—Edward J. Holland, 40, San Leandro, and Virginia Mazini, 32, Alameda.

JACK-DEARBORN—Alvin Jack, 22, and Roberta Dearborn, 21, both of Oakland.

KIRBY-SAXE—Charles Kirby, 51, and Mary L. Banks, 50, both of Boulder Creek.

BIRTHS.

GARDNER—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of Emil H. Gardner, a son.

CORREIA—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of Joe Correia, a daughter.

COOPER—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of B. Cooper, a son.

CRAWFORD—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of Mark Crawford, a son.

DOUGLASS—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of J. M. Douglass, a daughter.

HAWKINS—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of James M. Hawkins, a son.

HUGHES—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of Edgar P. Jones, a daughter.

KENNEDY—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of Calvin D. Kennedy, a son.

LOEB—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of Julius Loeb, a son.

RUSTAD—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of Joseph Rustad, a son.

SILVA—In this city, January 12, 1913, to the wife of Joaquin S. Silva, a son.

DIVORCES FILED.

COOK—Ralph W. E. against Lulu Cook; suit for annulment, \$100.00 damages.

DUFFY—Antonia against Anna E. Duffy; alleged desertion.

DIVORCES GRANTED.

CONVALLY—Evelyn J. from Emmet P. Conolly; final decree; cruelty.

FAIRLEY—Charles from Mary Fairley; final decree; desertion.

SEYMOUR—Eugene E. from Gertrude Seymour; interlocutory decree; cruelty.

BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT.

The following deaths have been reported to the Board of Health:

Case. Randall, Charles Edwin, Pulmonary tuberculosis, Pittsburg, Cal., 10 years.

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STREET RY. GETS \$40,000 OFFER

Owens Valuable Richmond Corner for Key Route Station and Won't Sell.

RICHMOND, Jan. 13.—The East Shore & Suburban Street Railway, now owned by the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Company, owns an acre of ground at the northeast corner of Macdonald avenue and Twenty-third street, Richmond, and it has just refused an offer made by George Wall of \$10,000 for it. The railway company secured the acre some years ago from John McNeill. At present a portion of it is leased by the company for the real estate office of D. W. McLaughlin.

As near as anybody in Richmond has been able to find out, the Key Route electric service is to be in here early in the spring, simultaneously with the coming of the Southern Pacific electric, and the route it will follow lies over a privately owned right of way along the base of the east hills from Berkeley to a point some distance between the county line and Macdonald avenue, thence along the San Pablo road to and westward along East Macdonald avenue to the corner of Twenty-third street, where this very valuable acre of land is located. The fact is that a Key Route station is to be erected and that the present local system of trolley cars will face the fast electric at that point.

WEALTHY CATTLE MAN HELD TO ANSWER

Archibald J. Stephenson, the wealthy cattle man of Newman, who ran down and fatally injured Antonio Pimental, on the Twelfth street turntable, was held to answer on a charge of manslaughter before Judge George Samuels this afternoon, bonds being fixed in the sum of \$2000. The preliminary examination, which was held in the morning, was held in the morning, was held in the morning.

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WHEAT IS HIGHER \$40.00 OFFER

Lower Cables Fail to Have Depressing Effect on Prices.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Despite lower cables, based on the heavy European shipments, wheat started higher today. May opening bid higher to 82 1/2¢, 82 3/4¢. An advance to 83 1/4¢ followed. The market was quiet. Mackerel strength developed later and May closed within a few cents of the top, at 84 1/4¢.

Corn was firm. May opened bid lower to 34 1/4¢, 34 1/2¢. An advance to 35 1/4¢ followed. The market was quiet. Mackerel strength developed later and May closed within a few cents of the top, at 35 1/4¢.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—The quotations today were as follows:

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AA—The Lakeview

Nice furnished rooms with excellent heat; steam heat; 7 minutes to lake and Broadway; Key Route at door. 1131 Oak. Phone Oakland 6763.

A NICE sunny front room with board for 1 or 2 gentlemen, at 530 11th st., near Market.

A LARGE sunny room for 2 gentlemen; running water, bath, home cooking. 340 15th st.

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BOARD and room, or day board; everything new; good home cooking; private family; close in. 133 12th st.

FOR men, rooms and sleeping porch; home cooking; convenient to S. P. and Key Route. 2973 Webster st., Tel. Oak 7416.

FRONT bedroom, with board, in private family; located at 5600 Webster st., phone 15200; no sign in window.

FURN. sunny room with board. 537 27th st., bet. Telegraph and Grove.

IN new home, sunny furnished room with breakfast; reasonable. Oakland 7580.

LARGE, sunny room with board in pretty private home; young couple desired. 483 Hawthorne st., off 31st and Tele.

LARGE, sunny room for 2 with board; private home. 1581 Webster.

ROOMS, double, single or en suite, close to Key and city cars; private family; reasonable rates. Box 194, Tel. Oak.

ROOM and board for 3 in private family; reasonable. 2427 11th ave.

ROOMS in large home; steam heat, home cooking. 1835 Allee st.

ROOM in modern, private home; board if desired. 5315 Grove.

CHILDREN BOARDED

A REFINED, educated family wants 1 or 2 small children to board and care for; will be given best of care. Box 8943, Tribune.

CHILDREN well cared for; large grounds; good home. 2011 Lissie-35th ave., Fruitvale.

SELECT HOME—Children carefully trained; music if desired. 825 12th st., near West at.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

AA—SUNNY, front room, connecting, outside rooms; running water, gas, oven, and phone; yard, laundry; 32 to 34 per week. 916 7th, cor. Market; 1068 12th st., at Linden; 1806 Brush, cor. 13th.

AAAA—SUNNY newly furnished, convenient housekeeping rooms; \$10 and \$12. 1318 West street.

AKSARBEN—Sunny hkgp. suite, gas, range, bath and phone. 3223 Grove st.

A—THREE and 4 furnished rooms for hkgp.; bath, gas; 535 6th st.; door open. APTS., 2-3 rooms, furnished; sunny; hot water, etc. The Metropole, 658 8th st.

A FIRST-CLASS room; buffet kitchen; 84 room, with bath; 1215 12th st., at Linden; 1806 Brush, cor. 13th.

A FURNISHED hkgp. room; first floor; 701 8th st., near Castro.

DESIRABLE housekeeping rooms, 627 15th st., between Jefferson and Grove streets.

FRONT rooms, very desirable; range, bath, laundry. 2142 8th ave.; Merritt 3019.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms; convenient to cars and free phone; single rooms also. 523 Washington st.

APARTMENTS TO LET

BURNA VISTA, Burnn, near 18th—Fifty furnished 2-room apts.; reasonable, central.

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APARTMENTS TO LET

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El Nido Apartments

MADISON, NEAR LAKE ST.
Phone Lakeside 139.

Two, three and four-room apartments with bath and sleeping porch, completely and partially furnished; steam heat, elevator, phone, etc., also.

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Floored kitchen cabinets, elevated oven ranges, white enamel kitchens and baths, SUN COURT and PORCH GARDENS; no north apartments; no dark halls; vacuum cleaning system.

A—The New Lakeside Apartments

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JUST OPENED

In exclusive residential district, with a modern, well equipped, private bath, and Berkeley hills; large rooms; every modern convenience; hardwood floors, steam heat, individual phone service; close to cars and ferry transportation.

A—THE NEW OWEN APARTMENTS

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UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.

Convenient, strictly fireproof, exclusive residential district; 2, 3 and 4-room apts., completely furnished; steam heat, elevator, private bath, vacuum cleaning system, billiard room and dance hall; unobstructed frontage on Lake Merritt; half block to Grand ave. Rates from \$22.50 up.

BURCHARD

2135 BROADWAY.

Completely and attractively furnished; 8 rooms; steam heat; private bath.

AA—THE LACONIA—Handsome equipped apts., fine grill, beautiful lobby, sleeping porches, poolroom and roof garden; convenient to S. P. and Key Route; moderate prices; inspection invited. 1624 Harrison st.

AA—PERALTA APARTMENTS, 15th and Jackson sts., Oakland. Furnished and unfurnished apartments; steam heat; cafe in building; one block Key Route trains to city.

A—Maryland Apartments

Most recent of modern apt. houses; 2-room apts., 225 24th st., Tel. Oak 7556. Sunny, modern, 2-room apts., every convenience; nicely furnished; very reasonable; central.

A BEAUTIFUL NEW APARTMENT, choice location, near Hotel Oakland; furnished family hotel; excellent rooms; hardwood floors, steam heat, vacuum cleaning, etc. 1420 Jackson st.

AA—INSPECT the elaborate appointments of the Key Route Inn, 224 and 225 24th st., near Webster and Key Route; 15 minutes at our door; costs less than keeping house. Phone Oakland 524.

AA—THE BAUER

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AA—Landers Apts., 259 24th st., Tel. Oak 7556. Sunny, modern, 2-room apts., every convenience; nicely furnished; very reasonable; central.

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PARK VIEW APTS., cor. 9th and Madison; phone Oakland 5039—New, strictly modern 2-room furnished apartments.

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SMALL house or bungalow; large lot; near Key Route or S. P. Box 292, Tribune.

STRICTLY modern, 6 or 7 rooms; large lot; suburban preferred. Phone Oak 1284.

SEVEN-ROOM house, not over \$4000; give particulars. Box 293, Tribune.

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A NICE large store, good location; suitable for shoe, notion store, months' rent. Phone Merritt 1420.

ON transfer corner, store; large window; living room; \$15. 2307 E. 21st st., Oakland; Shattuck ave. car.

STORES for rent at 16th and Grove sts. Owner, room 54, at 812 B'way; phone Oak 2852.

FOR RENT MISCELLANEOUS

AUTOMOBILE STALLS for rent. 3142 Elm st., nr. 24th and Telegraph.

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FOR RENT OR LEASE FROM DECEMBER 1, 1912, 3000 S. P. 3875, SECOND FLOOR, SOUTH AND EAST FRONT, AGE OF TRIBUNE BUILDING; HAS SEPARATE AND NICELY FITTED KITCHEN, BATH, AND W.C.; WINDING ON TWO SIDES, GIVING PLenty OF LIGHT; IDEAL FOR LIGHT MANUFACTURING OR LIGHT BUSINESS.

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OLD MONEY WANTED—\$100 for certain coins. Call Mr. J. R. Stevens, 678 and Franklin sts., Oakland 9233.

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A. LESTER—Gold medal steam carpet cleaning; all work guaranteed. 704 Clay, phone Oakland 4184. A. LESTER, 2034 Alameda County Steam Carpet Cleaning, works, 613 2d st.; phone Oakland 2034. A. LESTER, all work guaranteed.

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REAL ESTATE

FOR RENT—Handsome and nice furnished house, 6 rooms; bath; phone service free; large closets, beamed ceilings; mission finished; No. 235 4th st., block 100, near Broadway, 2 blocks to Key Route; low rent; long lease. Inquire Newsum Apts., office No. 2346 Valdez st., corner 24th street.

FOR SALE—One-half acre; finest lot in Piedmont; beautiful view; house of owner, H. H. Allen, 150 Post st., S. F. NOTHING down; go look at it; take your furniture with you; brand new; just completed; 5 rooms and sleeping porch, beamed ceilings, hardwood floors, built-in bookcase and hat rack; north side 61st and Telegraph ave.; \$55 per month.

Will sacrifice \$5000 home for \$5500; modern 7-room house; north side of 30th st. just off Telegraph ave.; lot 50x150.

Two lots, 55th and Telegraph ave.; will trade for cottage.

L. A. BROWN, 540 5th st., phone Oak 1723.

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COUNTRY LANDS located by co-operative system, affords exceptional advantages, better than any other, can be bought anywhere; get particulars now. Address W. H. Moore, 112 Eureka st., S. F.

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EIGHT-ROOM house, large lot, on nice residence street, close to center of town. Apply owner, 609 35th st., Oakland.

FRUITVALE REAL ESTATE

\$23 DOWN \$55 monthly buys modern cottage; sunny Fruitvale; on car line; see owner, 1402 Lissie ave.; no agents.

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GOVERNMENT relinquishment, 152 acres, Alameda Co.; timber and agricultural land; 2 1/2 million feet pine timber, 200 cords tanbark, plenty spring and creek water, fishing, hunting; 1 acre fenced; 2-room bungalow; completely furnished, small chicken houses, spring house, berries, truck garden, all farming tools; for sale or exchange on country or city property. Call or write A. T. A., 244 9th ave., E. Oakland.

HOUSES FOR SALE

A MODERN 5-room house, desirable location; panel dining room, large china cabinet, built wood finish; fireplace and mantel; in parlor; bathroom finished white; large living room; kitchen equipped with porcelain wash-trays; space upstairs, about 15x33, for two bedrooms; 40x50; terms can be arranged. Inquire of owner through Box 272, Tribune.

AN 8-room house, all in good condition; very sunny, with two patent toilets and bath; a beautiful terrace lot, 40x120; fine lawn, flowers and palms; gas and water; half block from S. P. and near Key Route and cars, between 16th and 17th; for sale or exchange on city or country property. Call or write A. T. A., 244 9th ave., E. Oakland.

A NEW home in Piedmont, just finished; 8 rooms and sleeping porch; view of ocean and hills; lot 45x125; feet; on Montecito; 15 minutes to city; 15 minutes to Key Route; 15 minutes to Pacific and shopping district.

AA—\$480 CASH, balance \$25 monthly, including interest 6 per cent; \$4500; fine 8-room cement house, everything up-to-date; Clarendon district; Owner, Piedmont 2637, mornings or evenings.

A FURNISHED or unfurnished elegant new home in Linda Vista; every modern convenience. Phone Merritt 5615.

BRAND new beautiful residence of 7 rooms in select neighborhood; price reasonable; will close lots as part payment; set off at Bonham way; also 8-room residence in Fourth Ave. Heights, now being completed; west side of Clarke road of Wellington. Post Box, 1341 after 6 p. m.

BARGAIN—4-room cottage; modern; lot 50x205; near E. 14th; \$2000; small part down. \$15 monthly; sewer connections. 1233 7th ave.

BARGAIN—3 rooms, bath, gas, electricity; \$1200; lot 15x115; 1515 12th ave.

FOURTH AVE. TERRACE HOME, 14-story bungalow of 6 rooms; sleeping porch, sun porch and large basement with laundry; extra large living room with built-in bookcase; new oak and brick mantel, hardwood floors and beam ceilings, cabinet kitchen, cooler, etc.; lot 40x125; near 2 car lines and school; \$4500; terms, 10% down, balance \$150 monthly, part payment. 4002 Adley ave., Fourth Ave. Terrace; phone Merritt 4654.

FOR SALE

A fine well-built modern house of 3 rooms, with furnace, on a well improved lot, in a fine residence district, convenient to car lines. This fine home has been priced at \$10,000.

J. R. STEVENS, 678 and Franklin sts., Oakland 9233.

FOR SALE—By owner, modern finely furnished cement residence; 7 rooms, just completed; grand view, overlooking city and bay; 1515 12th st., S. F. Call or write, Phone Pled. 473, 483 34th st.

FOR SALE—Cheap, beautiful 5-room cottage; all modern. 607 62d st., between Dover and Shattuck; no sign.

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Union Savings Bank Bldg., Oakland.

HAVE you \$500 to pay down on two classy, neat, modern flats on car line, 1 block from Key Route, 3 to 5 p. m. flat already equipped for driver; all downstairs; direct from owner; investigate; no agents. Box 8838, Tribune.

HAVE you \$5000 cash to buy sunny 2-story home? Terraced lot, 40x120; palm trees, fruit, and flowers; 200 ft. to Key Route and local; situated on 16th and Chestnut; exceptional snap. Address Box 3330, Tribune.

HOUSE and lot for sale; price \$6000; lot 45x120; house 2 1/2 stories; built-in bookcase, built-in dining room, and down stairs, cement wash trays, gas and electricity in every room; situated at 1711 and Chestnut sts. Own or rent; price \$6000; 1515 12th ave.

LINDA VISTA—Modern 8-room high basement cottage; sunny party finished in basement, with sink, laundry and bathroom; lot 40x120; price \$3000; terms, 10% down, balance \$150 monthly, part payment. 4002 Adley ave., Fourth Ave. Terrace; phone Merritt 4654.

NEW, modern 8-room bungalow; 12 minutes from business center; near Key Route; price \$1500; terms, 10% down, balance \$150 monthly, part payment. 4002 Adley ave., Fourth Ave. Terrace; phone Merritt 4654.

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HOUSES FOR SALE

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UP-TO-DATE house on car line, 10 minutes to city; 10 minutes to Key Route; finished; 7 rooms, sleeping porch, with marble view; wide driveway. R. C. Jensen, 24th and Broadway, 5559 Taft ave.; phone Piedmont 2452.

WRITE TO OWNER

of two story eight-room modern home on car line, 10 minutes to city; 10 minutes to Key Route; finished; 7 rooms, sleeping porch, with marble view; wide driveway. R. C. Jensen, 24th and Broadway, 5559 Taft ave.; phone Piedmont 2452.

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FLATS FOR SALE

NEW, modern, cement flats, nicest in Oakland; income 10% net; near Key Route and S. P., walking dist. 14th and Broadway; no agents. Owner, Box 230, Tribune.

WAREHOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Galvanized iron warehouse building; 200x500; corner Park and Henden st., Emeryville; to be removed from lot by 24th and Broadway, near American Can Co., Mills Bldg., San Francisco.

LOTS FOR SALE

AA—\$400 Cash
best situated lot in Elmhurst, less than \$500, as first payment on a choice lot in one of the best restricted localities in a beautiful marine-view property; will also make part cash payment; see owner, Box 322, Tribune.

A HIGH corner lot near Elmhurst High school; terms if wanted. Piedmont 4997.

BUSINESS LOT, 37x150, next to theater. Address P. J., 2246 E. 14th, Oakland.

CONTRACTORS and builders; 250 feet fronting on Wayne ave., close to Lake Merritt; cheap for cash, or will sell on lease; 200 ft. front, room 54, 812 Broadway, Oakland.

FIVE good lots, Grand Ave. Heights; one good cor. lot, Berkeley; terms to suit. Owner, 850 30th st., Oakland.

LOT 40x135 on E 14th st. between 38th and 100th ave.; \$1500. Box 7835, Tribune.

LOT 50x140, adjoining 1347 E. 27th st. Owner, 1347 E. 28th st.

WILL sell on easy terms, my building lot on 10th and Park for \$800; all improvements, transportation, schools. Box 195, Tribune.

42x50 FRONT FOOT on 7th ave.; best residence location in East Oakland. B. H. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E 18th st.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE

BUSINESS LOT, 37x150, next to theater, near 6th st., 25x150 ft.; two frontages, one on Polson, one on Shipley st.; will sell or exchange for home in Oakland, San Francisco. Owner 512 B'way, Oakland.

FIVE cottages in Oakland; no mortgage; to be traded for Oakland lots, clear. Address Box 3391, Tribune.

HOUSE and lot in E. Oakland for level land in vicinity of Hayward. Box 222, Tribune.

WILL EXCHANGE for 1 or 2 lots in good locality, a house rented at \$45 per month; net 10%. 1732 Ward st.; phone Berkeley 5761.

WHAT have you to exchange for \$600 equity in beautiful 4th ave. lot? Box 3392, Tribune.

\$7000 IN GOLD dredger stock; \$10,000 in Federal Carver Co. stock; will exchange any part for city or country property; call or write, 203 Commercial Bldg., Oakland, Cal.

PROPERTY WANTED

BUNGALOW—\$3500; one-third cash; terms; description. Box 1111, Tribune.

HAVE CASH for good buys. W. Welch Co., 1618 Telegraph ave. Oak. 1461.

WANT lot with or without bungalow; 1000 sq. ft. or more; 100 ft. or more; no agents; state lower for cash. Box 231, Tribune.

WANTED—Lot from \$5000 up to \$10,000 in payment for new apartment; price \$15,000. Box 3972, Tribune.

WANTED—Small home on good lot, not over \$1000; 200 sq. ft. or more; must be a bargain. Box 4792, Tribune.

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WORLD CRUISE IS MISSIONARY PLAN

Shipload of Churchmen Would Tour World for Five Years.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—A world cruise of a shipload of missionary experts to investigate the work in foreign fields is a plan submitted by J. Campbell White, founder of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, at the annual meeting of the organization opening at Garden City, L. I., today.

Action on the proposal, which includes the expenditure of \$500,000 a year for five years will be taken during the week. The reports which the world cruising party brought back would be used in a great missionary campaign in the United States and Canada, eclipsing the successful campaign conducted in many cities in these countries two years ago.

Figures will be submitted at the meeting to show that America leads the world in gifts to foreign missions. Protestants of the United States gave nearly \$15,000,000 last year, an increase of about \$2,500,000. Canada gave \$648,000 more than last year.

The Forty Year Test.
An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty years. Campbell's book, "The Forty Year Test," was first offered to the public in 1872. From small beginning it has grown in favor and popularity until it has attained a world-wide reputation. You will find nothing better for a cough or cold. Try it and you will understand why it is a favorite after a period of more than forty years. It not only gives relief—it cures. For sale by all dealers.

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SIX SEALS DO STRANGE STUNTS

Animal Troupe at Pantages Do Everything But Talk; Bill Meritorious.

The Pantages show assays high the stuff of which it is made is of the refined sort and varied withal. Wherever femininity appears, and it appears frequently, it is for a display of talent as well as beauty. If you are a lover of animals, the trained seals will amaze you, and cause you to wonder what the trainers will accomplish next.

From seals to street serenaders the bill pleased mightily at the four performances yesterday. Like Tom Thumb, the audience wanted more of everything, and burst their palms and burst their gloves trying to get it on show that they liked what they already had. It is difficult to say what goes best, when everything goes so well.

For absolute novelty, the trained seal act, new in Oakland is a prize-winner. It represents the manager and of the circus "aggregation" and of the bill features. A performance savoring of savagery and death is furnished by the Tammann-Van Dieman troupe, which does "aerial butterfly" stunts in "mid-air" of course, where all butterfly acts belong. There is also the Gabbert pair, billed as novelty star. He makes a

SEALS HAVE STAGE FRIGHT

But to return to those seals, which have an uncanny way of doing things and making you remember. Wouldn't you be surprised to see a half-dozen of the slippery fellows should line up on the Seal Rocks like so many minstrels, and give the beach visitors an entertainment of ball-juggling, rope-walking and other stunts? You would pinch yourself and rub your eyes and that is what some folks came here to do yesterday at the Pantages. The training is the thing, necessarily. And some training it requires. Captain Fisher, the seals' master, will tell you. He will also relate, if questioned that the seal graduates of Tiber college had stage fright four years ago, when they were bawling over the heads of the orchestra and into the audience. There was a panic on both sides of the electric bulbs which caused all the trouble. The show was stopped. Later the animals became stage "broken" and began to love their teacher dearly, licking his hand as well as eating fish out of it, instead of biting him, as they did at first.

"At the beginning of training," says Captain Fisher, "the seal is wilder and less intelligent than almost any other animal I met, but after taming, becomes more skilful and more intelligent than the others. This being was captured near Santa Barbara. It requires 18 months to prepare the average seal for the stage. After the routine training, Mr. Seal grows more affectionate and becomes erudite in many ways. This bunch recognizes the music which always precedes the act, and sets up an awful commotion in eagerness to get on the stage."

MINSTRELS HAVE MERIT.

William R. Abram and Agnes Johns are here again in a different playlet, "When Hubby Realizes," which fits them better than the socialistic vehicle of a few weeks ago. It is almost unnecessary to say that hubby, who is a gay boy, realizes after while pretends to be something of a gay one too. Otherwise it wouldn't be a vaudeville tabloid reconciliation.

You minstrel lovers will like the Daly five. There are real voices among the quintet, and some of the jokes are new. These black-faced boys should be liked, when they are not making the decision not to be thicker than the slices of bread mother used to cut. One almost wonders whether they are not the same as the Pontre and Christopher. Sicilian street serenaders got everything but cheers

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LAW CHANGES LICENSE DEPT.

Ordinance Reorganizing Work and Eliminating Official is Introduced.

The ordinance reorganizing the license inspection department and eliminating the position of W. A. J. Franke, who has held that position for the past eleven years, was introduced this morning in the council and given first reading. The matter will take its regular course in council unless Franke should ask for a delay to give him an opportunity to be accorded a public hearing.

The Franke case was considered in executive session of the commissioners and the civil service board in Mayor Mott's chambers this morning. Franke explained that he had done his best and had given faithful service. He stated that he could not see that there was justice in ousting him from office.

"There is no criticism of Mr. Franke," President J. S. Robinson of the civil service board explained. "We have every faith in his honesty and in his statements that he has given full time and service to the city. But this change is in the interest of economy. It will save the city while adding to the efficiency of the service."

"If there is any proper way to take care of Franke, it will be done, said Mayor Frank Mott.

Franke will be accorded the privilege of making an examination for some clerical position in city employ, and his years of service may be made the basis of credit in his percentage.

REQUIRED 2 DOCTORS TO HANDLE MACHINE

Trials and tribulations that are apt to beset a physician during this time of year were experienced by Dr. W. H. Irwin yesterday when he and his new touring car became stalled in deep mud in the vicinity of Stego while the doctor was on his way to attend a child patient. After waiting about the machine in hope, less effort to extricate it from its determined position, the medical man gave up and continued his trip on foot, only to find when he arrived at his destination that the small patient had been cured by a grandmother's dose.

But it took two doctors to administer to the automobile. Dr. O. D. Hamlin was called into consultation over the telephone and with the assistance of his fellow medico with his powerful car a line was passed aboard the disabled car and finally it was hauled to safety.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER FARTHER OF 10-LB. BOY

Friends of Thomas E. Risley, head of the municipal harbor department of Oakland and assistant city engineer, are congratulating him today upon the birth of a son. To Mrs. Risley, at their home, 6550 Dana street, was born a ten-pound boy, Richard E. Risley. The mother and child were reported to be doing well.

from the audience yesterday. Nevins and Gordon, in "Little Miss Manicure" are purveyors of a dainty line of talk in the place where the nails and the manicured are trimmed.

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SHOOTS WIFE, AND THEN KILLS SELF

Stories of Scandal Mongers Blamed for Shocking Murder Attempt.

SACRAMENTO Jan. 12.—His mind poisoned by the stories of scandal mongers, Joseph Stassi, employed in the Southern Pacific shops walked into the kitchen of his home yesterday afternoon, fired a bullet into his wife's head as she stood preparing his meal, with her two little children playing at her feet, and then sent a bullet through his own brain, dying instantly. Mrs. Stassi now lies in the county hospital near death, praying that her life may be spared for the sake of her children.

It was a pathetic sight that the police found in the Stassi home after the shooting. Seated beside the side of his dead father, Vito Stassi, 15 years old, held his 18-month-old brother in his arms, rocking him to sleep, while his 8-year-old sister stood at his side, bewildered by the tragedy. Mrs. Stassi lay on a cot

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In the next room, where she had fled after being shot.

Vito Stassi was near the house when the shots were fired. He ran into the house and found his father lying dead with a revolver in his hand. Those who knew Mrs. Stassi declare that she was a hard-working woman and above the suspicion that was cast upon her by the stories told her husband.

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SCHMITZ IS SUED BY HIS ATTORNEY

Charles Fairall Brings Action for \$4098 Against Former Mayor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Eugene D. Schmitz, former mayor of San Francisco, who was indicted on numerous counts for the alleged receiving of bribes, was made defendant today in a suit for the recovery of \$4098, begun by Attorney Charles Fairall, one of the lawyers who defended him.

The main action is based on a promissory note for \$3098.25, dated July 29, 1910, and bearing interest at 7 per cent. According to Attorney Fairall, Schmitz has failed to pay interest on this note since October 12, and has never paid any of the principal. In April, 1912, Fairall says he performed legal services for Schmitz in criminal action in excess of \$1000 for which he received only \$250, and on which there is still owing \$750. He wants that sum, together with the amount of the note and \$150 counsel fees covering the cost of today's action, all of which totals \$1,098.25.

RELATIONS MYSTERY.

Whether or not Schmitz has had a falling out with Fairall is not known, but throughout the long trials of the early days of the graft prosecution, Fairall defended him, together with Attorney Frank Drew. At that time Attorneys Campbell and W. H. Metson of the firm of Campbell, Metson & Drew, appeared for the ex-mayor, but later Campbell and Metson both withdrew. Schmitz was convicted in the French restaurant cases, but the district court reversed the decision and the refusal of Abraham Ruef to testify against him finally resulted in the dismissal of all the indictments preferred by the Oliver grand jury.

Recently it was announced that Attorney Frank Drew and Schmitz were co-operating in the writing of a musical comedy. Schmitz, who is an accomplished musician, was to furnish the score, while Drew admitted that he was writing the book. Both attorney and client have always been on the best of terms.

Schmitz, following his first conviction, went into a mining company with large interests in Arizona, but it is understood that success did not attend the venture, and that the former mayor is far from comfortably wealthy.

Swiss Law Does'nt Prohibit Epithet

ZURICH, Switzerland, Jan. 13.—It is lawful in Switzerland to call a man an ass either in anger or otherwise, according to a decision by the cantonal tribunal here. The court declined to award damages in a suit arising out of a quarrel between two prominent citizens.

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